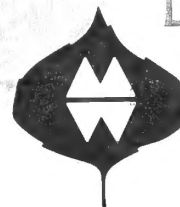


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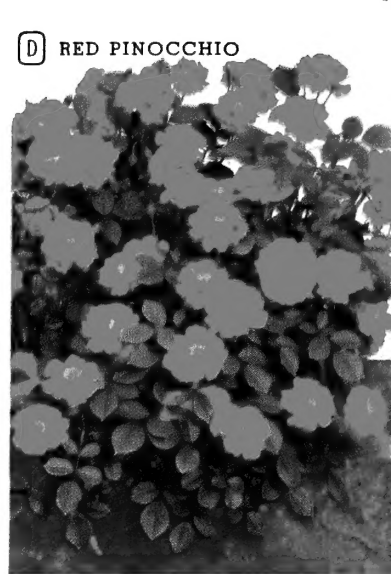
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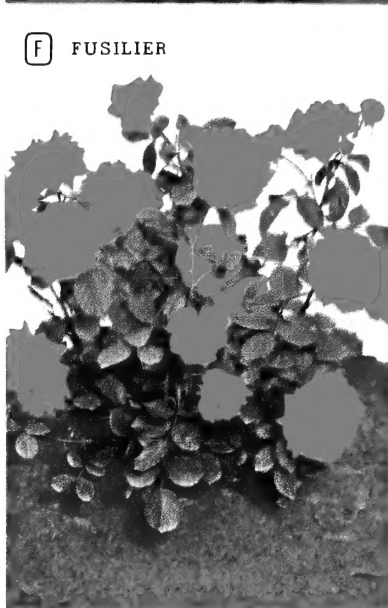
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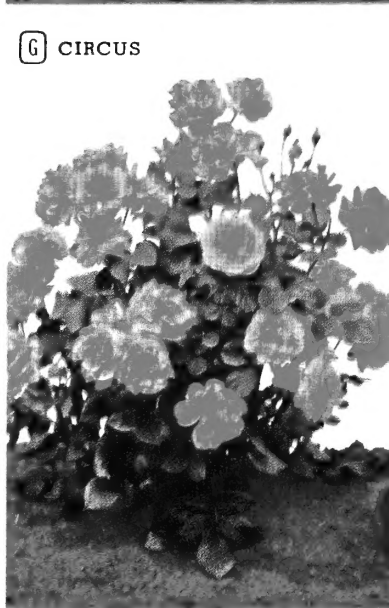
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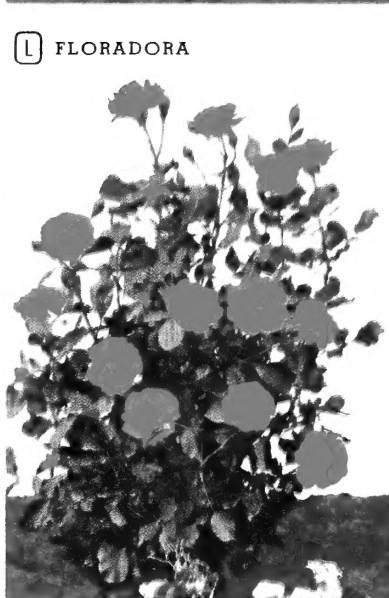
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A, B, C, and D—All 4 for \$740

Patented Floribunda Rose Garden. Saves 10%. Includes 1 each of A, B, C and D.

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B Fashion. Second highest rated of all Floribundas on 1957 list. Rated 8.9. All America winner in 1950. Gold Medal winner in London. Accredited with many other awards. Coloring is different from that of any other rose ... luminous coral pink with overtones of gold at base of each petal. Dainty, tapered buds borne in abundance. Perfectly formed Hybrid Tea shape. True Rose fragrance. Plant Pat. 789.

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C Goldilocks. Winner of many honors and medals. Large clusters of beautiful, golden yellow blooms all summer long. Fragrant. Long lasting when cut. Spreading foliage. Second highest rated yellow Floribunda on 1957 list. Rated 7.3. Plant Pat. 672.

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D Red Pinocchio. Second highest rated red Floribunda on 1957 list. One of the most popular because of its tremendous number of blooms. Deep red buds open to form great clusters of large carmine flowers, often 3½ inches across, with rich, velvety texture. Color does not fade. Sweet fragrance. Plant Patent 812. Rated 8.8.

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F Fusilier. 1958 All America Rose Selection winner. Heavy clusters of large luminous orange-red blooms against the glossy dark foliage of a mature plant. Make full bushy plants. Plant Prop. Rights Reserved.

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G Circus. This was the only rose to win the AARS Award in 1956, and the first multi-colored Floribunda to be so honored. Buds are creamy-yellow, overlaid with crimson; flowers open yellow, develop tints of apricot, pink and salmon. Every flower is a new surprise. Delightfully fragrant. Well-branched plants. Plant Patent 1382. Rated 7.5.

91 GB 5158—Postpaid Each \$2.50

H Jimmy Cricket. The 1955 AARS Winner. Tangerine-red buds open to glowing coral-pink, gold base. A tall, upright plant with large clusters of fragrant blooms that retain their color. Plant Pat. 1346. Rated 7.5.

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Favorite Floribunda Roses

J, K, L and M—Grade A—All 4 for \$450

Favorite Floribunda Garden. Saves 10%. 1 each of J, K, L and M. Postpaid.

91 GB 5287—Grade A All 4 for \$4.50

91 GB 5288—Grade AA All 4 for 5.00

J 91 GB 5165—Frensham. English Gold Medal winner. Large clusters of deep scarlet fragrant roses. So compact in its growth that it may be used as a hedge. Rated 8.6.

K 91GB 5167—Rochester. Large roses in cluster formation. Soft yellow with contrasting orange-carmine on reverse. Blooms continually until frost. Fragrant. Rated 6.8.

L 91 GB 5166—Floradora. AARS Award Winner in 1945. Perfectly formed orange-scarlet roses look like double Camellias when fully open. Tall growing. Rated 8.2.

M 91 GB 5168—Rosenelle. Hybrid Tea shaped buds. Clusters of two-tone roses. Pink inside, deep rose reverse. Rated 8.2.

Price of Above Floribunda Favorites

State Catalog Number and Grade. Postpaid.

Grade A Each \$1.25; Any 3 for \$3.60

Grade AA Each 1.40; Any 3 for 3.95

N Garnette. Rich, garnet-red roses like miniature Hybrid Teas. Used by florists for corsages. Very long-lasting when cut. Slightly fragrant. Favorite border variety. Medium-low growing. Rated 8.2. Postpaid.

91 GB 5169—Grade A. Ea. \$1.50; 3 for \$3.95

P White Bouquet. 1957 AARS Award Winner, and the first white rose to win this award. Wide spreading plants with exceptionally large flowers that open slowly and last for days. Excellent for border or bedding. Plant Pat. 1415. Too new to be rated.

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ADD TO YOUR GARDEN EVERY SEASON—KEEP THIS BOOK FOR YEAR 'ROUND ORDERING



PLAN YOUR ROSE GARDEN TO INCLUDE THESE FIVE TYPES OF ROSES

Climbing Roses. For dramatic displays of color and bloom. They vary in height and in season of bloom. All are vigorous and easy to grow in all zones, but need winter protection as outlined in Wards Instruction Booklet sent with each order. This is especially essential in zones 8 and 9. Plant them 2 to 3 feet apart, in spring or fall. They will bloom next year on growth made this year, and will then bloom beautifully every year thereafter.

SEE PAGES 8-9, 14, 15.

Tree Roses. Tree or Standard Roses are grown by budding regular Ever-blooming Hybrid Roses into a tall, well-rooted stalk to make a plant 4½-5 ft. tall, which provides roses at eye level. Well worth the little extra care they require in colder areas. Hardy in all zones but require careful winter protection in zones 7 through 9. Tree roses are shipped for spring planting only. Plant 5 ft. apart. Splendid large blooms from late spring through fall.

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Grandiflora Roses. This is a somewhat new classification in the world of roses. They embrace the finest qualities of both the Hybrid Teas and Floribundas. Plants are taller than either of these groups, with blooms sometimes as large as Hybrid Teas, but borne in clusters like Floribundas with Floribunda hardiness, and the added advantage of long cutting stems. Hardy all zones. Protect like Hybrid Tea Roses. Plant 30 inches apart in spring or fall.

SEE PAGE 10.

Hybrid Tea Roses. The most popular of all roses because blooms are rich in color, perfect in form, usually fragrant, and are the largest in the rose garden. Bloom in late spring through early fall. More tender than some roses, but can be grown with ease in all zones—even in severe climate zones such as 8 and 9 if given ample winter protection. (See Zone Map on Page 6). Height 2-3 ft. in most areas. Plant 2 ft. apart in spring or fall, in full sun.

SEE PAGES 10-15.

Floribunda Roses. Blooms are usually smaller than Hybrid Tea Roses, but are borne in clusters. Gardeners plant them because of their abundance and persistence of bloom. Usually lower growing than Hybrid Teas, and somewhat more hardy and robust in growth. Bloom late spring through fall. Many have true Hybrid Tea form. Hardy all zones, but need protection in zones 8 and 9. Plant 18-24 in. apart in spring or fall.

9 Reasons why...

You Should Buy Nursery Stock at Wards



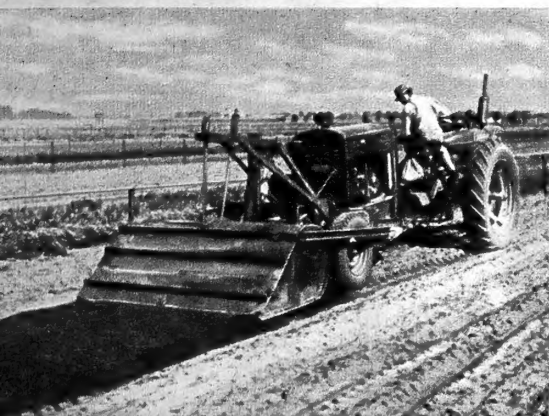
The Symbol of Quality and Value

All Nursery Stock listed in Wards Garden Book meets the highest quality standards required by Montgomery Ward and Co., to qualify as Garden Mark caliber. Much consideration is given a product before it is elected to Garden Mark status. These two pages outline 9 of many reasons why All Wards Nursery Stock qualifies for this important designation. Let this symbol of high quality and outstanding value be your guide to greater gardening enjoyment and superior performance. Look for it on Garden equipment and supplies.

2 Descriptions are Accurate

All the descriptions in this catalog are keyed to Wards Zone Map pictured on Page 6. If you locate your own zone on the Zone Map, keep that in mind when you shop for the plants you need, and you'll never make the mistake of buying a plant not suited to your area. Notice, too, that whenever special soil, or location is necessary to the plant's growth this information is given. On fruits, pollination requirements are also indicated. Botanical names of plants are given so that you may check your own garden encyclopedia for more complete information. Information in this catalog has been carefully verified and is accurate and you may depend on it for guidance.

Pictures in this Book have been made from photographs of the plants and trees they represent. Every effort has been made to retain their accuracy of color, and they remain as accurate as modern high speed printing can reproduce. Colors of flowers may vary due to differences in soil or amount of sun received.



5 Plants Have Built-In Grow-Power

Vigorous plant growth begins with the soil in which the plants are first grown. Nurseries that ship plants for Wards follow a system of crop rotation. Growing fields are carefully prepared, deeply dug, well fertilized, and mulched. Where necessary, irrigation systems prevent lack of moisture so that young plants are given every opportunity for sturdy root and top growth.

Wards sources are located to give service to all sections of the United States, and to provide the varied climatic conditions necessary to the development of the finest stock. Trees, shrubs and most all perennials are field grown and have stood up under the same changes of weather that they'll meet in your garden.

4 WARDS ALL

WARDS NURSERY STOCK GUARANTEE

Wards guarantee all nursery stock, perennials, bulbs, tubers and roots to be exactly as represented in our catalog; to be strong and vigorous, free from disease; true to named variety; and to reach you in proper condition for planting.

If any nursery stock you receive does not conform to the above guarantee, Wards will replace it with new stock without charge. The guarantee is limited as follows:

- The Questionnaire printed on the reverse side of the guarantee attached to your return order papers must be filled in completely showing that you have followed the planting instructions enclosed in each package.
- This guarantee together with the packing slip must be sent to us by July 1st following the receipt of shipment. (This date is May 1st in Ft. Worth territory only.)
- On some items the catalog clearly indicates that they are not suitable for all zones. Wards do not guarantee the growth of such items in zones not recommended.
- Claims for stock not true to name are not limited in time, but must be made in the first blooming or fruiting season.

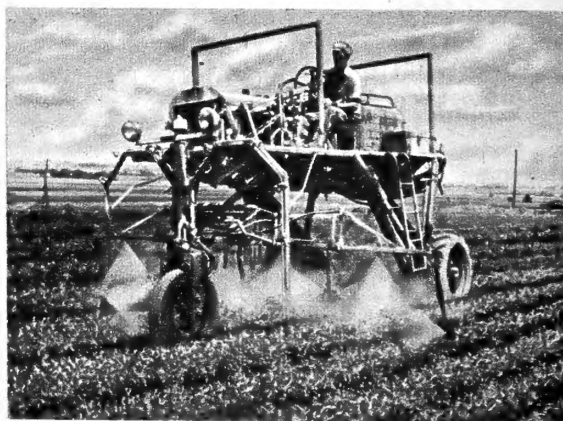
As vigorous growth depends upon proper planting, pruning, soil, climatic conditions and other factors over which we have no control, Wards cannot be responsible for the amount of growth nor for the crop, nor for any amount greater than the purchase price.

MONTGOMERY WARD

3 Planting Instructions Sent With Your Order

You can plant your garden or orchard with the help of experienced nurserymen. When you buy your nursery stock at Wards, you will receive, free of charge, complete instructions that cover every step from unwrapping your newly arrived Nursery Stock to planting, pruning, and caring for it. These instructions have been carefully prepared to meet your needs, and thoroughly checked by eminent horticulturists. Follow these instructions to get the best results, greatest growth, and fullest flowering possible.

When you select plants from the pages of this book, note the many extra bits of information given. Keep this book and refer to it often. The information contained herein, together with the information sent with your order will help you have a more beautiful and successful garden than ever before. It's the little extra care that makes the difference between an ordinary back yard, and a garden overflowing with bloom and brimming with fruit. Wards help you attain this ideal.



6 Wards Stock is Guaranteed Disease-Free

Over the vast acres in which Wards Nursery stock is grown, every precaution is taken to retain the healthy vigor and cleanliness of the plant. Specially engineered sprayers such as the one pictured above have been built for our growers to enable them to spray all sides of the young plants. In some instances planes are employed to dust large areas. It's this kind of careful attention to every detail of young plant life that makes Wards Nursery Stock so outstanding. It's this kind of early care that enables Wards to give you the guarantee outlined above and included with every order.

Plants are all true-to-named variety. Experts from cooperating colleges and universities check growing fields periodically to be certain of this important factor. Wards nurseries keep a constant check that insures accurate variety selection. You get what you order when you buy at Wards.



7 Trees Have Been Pruned

Careful pruning while the tree is still in the nursery growing field is a necessary factor in sturdy tree growth. This work is done by carefully trained experts. Fruit trees are topped at the correct stage to encourage strong branching with no weak branches that are apt to break in the wind when loaded with fruit. Trees are root pruned to build strong, sturdy root systems, and are transplanted to allow them plenty of room to develop. Wards sources for fruit trees are among the largest wholesale growers of fruit trees in the United States and this experience benefits you.



Protect Your Investment

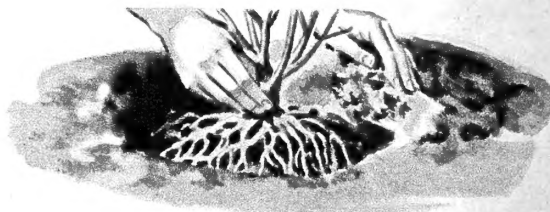
ADD SATISFACTION THESE 4 WAYS

From the armchair in your own living room, you can choose from one of the widest assortments of Nursery Stock in the United States. You'd have to drive many miles to see all the beautiful plants and trees pictured and described in this catalog . . . Roses by the dozen; almost 200 perennials; 119 shrubs, not to mention scores of trees, fruits and seeds. Follow the four rules below, and the delight that you have in finding just what you want will never diminish.



1. PLACE SPRING ORDERS BEFORE MAY 15

Avoid disappointment. In late spring plants often start growth and cannot be safely transplanted. So, order early and we'll ship at planting time.



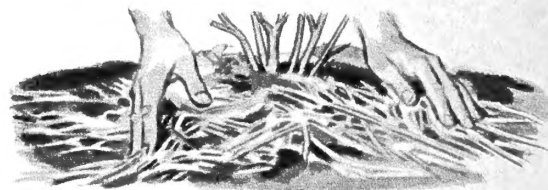
2. PLANT ACCORDING TO INSTRUCTIONS

Take a few extra minutes to follow the simple planting instructions included with your order. The extra care you take at planting time can make a great difference in future enjoyment of the plants you buy. These instructions for planting are designed to help your plant make continued good growth.



3. PROVIDE FOOD AND WATER

Plants respond quickly to a little extra care. They should be watered often until established. Occasional cultivation, a little fertilizer, or a spray or dusting treatment will be rewarded by lush growth, and a greater abundance of bloom and fruit. Protect your investment and get these extra dividends.



4. BED YOUR PLANTS DOWN FOR THE WINTER

The small amount of time you spend in giving plants necessary winter protection will reward your efforts. A mulch of straw on your perennial border will mean less loss of plants from ground heaving and more flowers next season. Protect in all but the most mild climates. Instructions sent with your order suggest simple, winter protection. Also see Page 4.

4 Wards Nursery Stock is Shipped from Large Well Established Growers

Wards principal grower is considered to be the largest in the United States, and has been in business for more than 80 years. Their vast growing fields—some of which are located in the midwest, are pictured above. Our eastern nursery is considered to be the fourth largest grower, and has been in business for 58 years. All Wards growers are active members of the American Association of Nurserymen, and leaders in their field.

All Wards Nursery Stock is shipped direct from nurseries located to serve various parts of the country. Stocks are either freshly dug or shipped from storage houses where they have been scientifically stored. Temperatures and humidity are controlled to retain original newly-dug freshness and dormancy. Dormancy is an important factor in successfully transplanting trees and shrubs. When you buy from Wards plant dormancy has been guarded for you.

Don't Wait, Buy Now at Wards on Easy Terms

Use Wards regular Monthly Payment Plan to buy everything you need from this Garden Book. (See Page 50 for explanation). For extensive planting, use Wards Home Improvement Plan, pay no money down, and take up to 36 months to pay. (Refer to Wards big General Catalog or write for details.) Or buy on the FHA Home Improvement Plan. (For information see your banker.)



8 Grade and Size are Accurate

When you buy nursery stock, you want the assurance that you will receive the size you order. Wards offer most trees and many shrubs in more than one size and you can choose the size that meets your need. But when you buy from Wards you can be sure that your plant has been accurately sized and graded whether it be a 6 to 8-ft. tree or a tulip bulb.

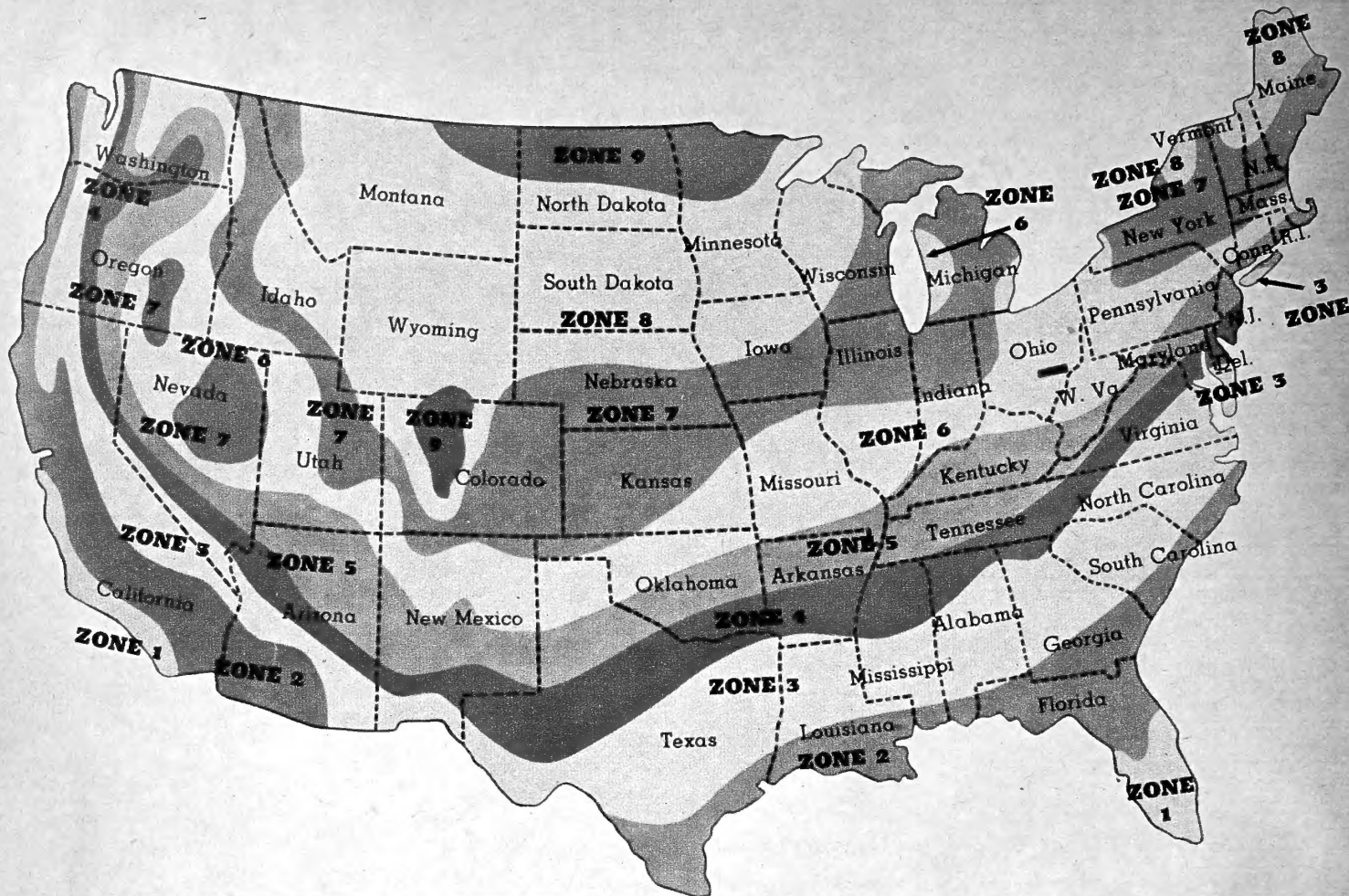
Height in a tree is not the only important factor—trunk diameter is more important in determining the size of a fruit tree. In shrubs and roses the cane and root development determines the quality and the grade. All Wards Nursery stock is graded strictly according to the standards set up by the American Association of Nurserymen.



9 Wards Stock is Shipped Postpaid

When you buy nursery stock at Wards the price you see in the catalog is the full price, there is nothing more to add.

All Wards Nursery Stock is shipped Postpaid or Express Prepaid. Remember this when comparing prices. Postage on a ten pound package ranges from 59c in postal zone 1 or 2 up to \$1.95 in postal zone 8. The postage on only a few shrubs or trees would add considerably to the prices quoted by those who do not pay postage. Ward growers have worked with leading colleges in research to achieve the most modern methods of shipping. Plants are wrapped according to these newly developed methods and are guaranteed to reach you in excellent planting condition.



AVOID MISTAKES USE THIS ZONE MAP

This Zone Map is your guide to plant material best suited to the territory in which you live. It is based on a map published in the Atlas of American Agriculture, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. This zone map was based on average annual minimum temperature for the years 1895 to 1935. Find the zone in which you live, then see descriptions for plants suited to your particular zone. Let these zone references be your guide to plants that will be easiest to grow and will thrive best in your area.

Most Plants in This Catalog Thrive In All Areas

All plants listed in this Catalog may be expected to succeed over a wide area if given reasonable care. Even those not especially recommended for your zone have much to offer in the way of gardening adventure. You may be able to grow, and enjoy plants not generally grown in your area, and this kind of adventure will require only a little extra care to provide the conditions necessary to the plant, but not natural to your garden, such as giving the plant a more sheltered location or providing acid soil where necessary. (Be sure to read Wards Nursery stock Guarantee on Page 4.)

Some shrubs or small trees thrive best when sheltered from either hot, dry winds, or from severe cold winds, and are so indicated in this catalog by the phrase: "Plant in sheltered position." These plants should be used near a building or windbreak or where other tall growing shrubs or trees will shelter them from hot or cold wind which is damaging to some plants.

What Is Meant By The Term "Hardy"

"Hardy" indicates that a plant will endure the cold in the area designated. Perennials may die back to the ground, but the root system remains alive to produce new growth and increased beauty each spring. Trees and Shrubs are considered hardy when the entire woody structure remains alive through the winter and plant withstands cold in zones indicated.

Great caution has been exercised to give you completely accurate information, but it must be remembered that there may be zones in which a particular plant may be successfully grown in one area, while in some small neighboring section, the same plant will not thrive. It is impossible to cover all varying factors. While some plants may be able to endure the cold of a particular zone, other elements determine the success or failure of a plant's growth and production of flowers or fruit. These variations include elevation, prolonged summer heat, hot drying winds, lack of moisture, soil variations, too great or insufficient acid in the soil, amount of snow, etc. All of these factors may determine the degree of success you may expect to achieve in your garden.

What is Meant by "Winter Protection"

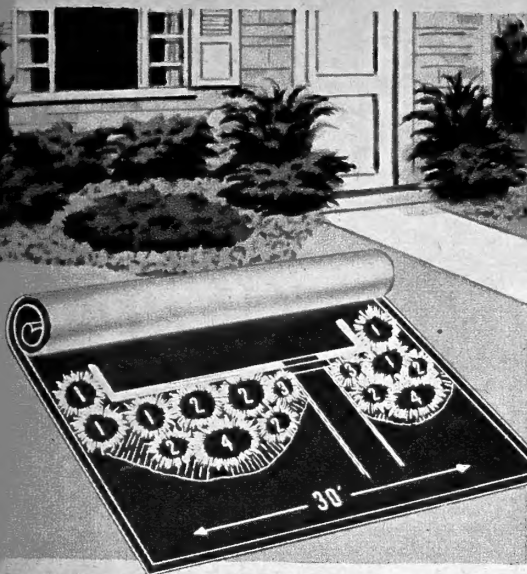
In studying various plant listings in this Catalog you will find the phrase: "Needs winter protection," or, "Protect in winter in severe climates." Winter protection of plants varies with the plant.

Roses, must be given adequate winter protection in severe climates. Complete directions will be given in the planting guide which is sent with your order, but briefly, it means that the soil should be heaped about the plants, after the first light freeze, to protect the canes. With this care, beautiful roses can be grown even in severe climates. (See sketch below.)

Most Perennials require winter protection north of Zone 6. Wherever snow does not provide a continuous winter cover, they must be given a mulch consisting of two to four inches of clean wheat straw, buckwheat hulls, shredded cornstalks or peat moss. Fine-textured mulches such as manure and peat moss may be cultivated into the soil the following spring. A covering of evergreen or other branches that will catch the snow, shade it, and thus keep it from melting too quickly, is also beneficial. A mulch should provide a covering, but should not be a heavy, airtight matting of leaves or grass clippings which produces heat and might smother the plants. Mulches are NOT intended to keep plants warm.

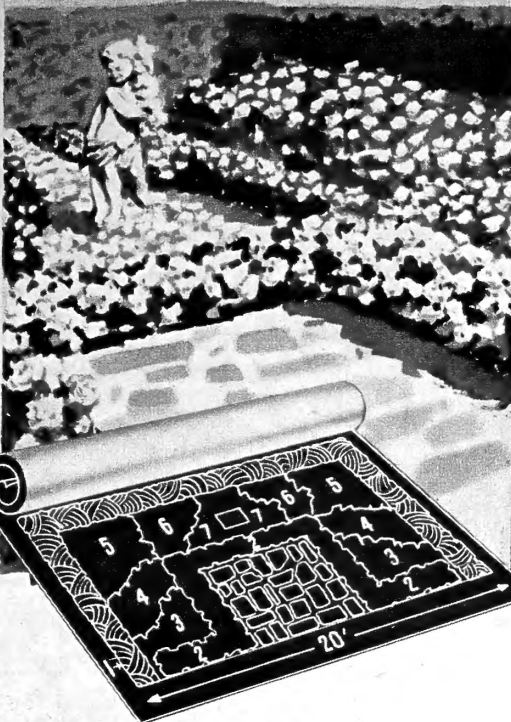
All mulches should be applied after the ground has frozen the first time, to keep the ground frozen and prevent plants from being heaved out of the earth by alternate freezing and thawing in late fall and early spring. Coarse mulches such as branches, cornstalks or hay should be removed early in the spring to prevent mold and to permit sun and air to reach the new growth. It is best to do this a little at a time over a two or three-week period. This allows the tender new shoots to harden off and keeps them protected from possible late spring frosts. Protection will mean more luxuriant growth and more flowers from perennial plants and rose bushes.





Evergreen Foundation Planting

You will readily find ways to adapt this group to your own needs. Remember to keep low shrubs in front of windows: taller varieties at the corners. (1) is Hicks, (Up-right) Yew; (2) is Pfitzer Juniper; (3) is Savin Juniper; (4) is Creeping Juniper. The area between the evergreens will be attractive if you plant a ground cover of plants suited to this purpose. We recommend Vinca Minor for its addition of flowers . . . a profusion in spring for a bright note, and some throughout the season. For early spring color set groups of Daffodils and Muscari bulbs between evergreens.



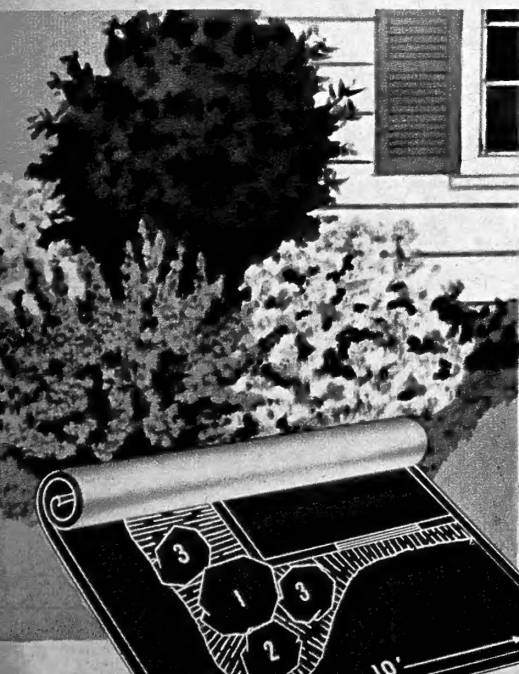
Back-Yard Rose Garden

The varieties were chosen for this garden to give you a wide variation of color and a long season of bloom. You may also adapt the plan to a garden of all Hybrid Tea Roses. The Rose varieties listed below are all Floribundas. (1) is a background border of Dwarf Privet Hedge, Lodense; (2) is an inner border of White Bouquet Floribunda roses; (3) is Goldilocks or the new A.A.R.S. Floribunda, Goldcup; (4) is Circus; (5) is Red Pinocchio; (6) is Rosenelfe; (7) is Spartan or the new 1958 All America Rose Selection Fusilier. Buy 3 plants each for areas 3 through 7. The little statue is available—write for prices.

A Beautiful Garden Begins With a Plan

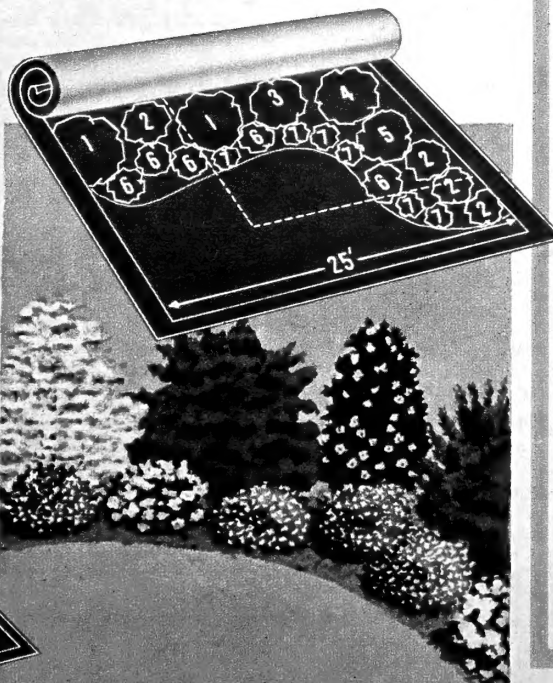
Colorful Corner Planting

If you want to add interest to one or two corners of your house, garage, or other building use this little plan to provide a bit of color from early spring through early summer. (1) is Mock Orange, Minnesota Snowflake; (2) is Flowering Almond; (3) is Dwarf Deutzia. Plant Creeping Phlox, Crimson Beauty and your choice of Pink Tulips in the foreground. If you prefer a touch of color in autumn use this area for Million-Mum Chrysanthemums or the new Dwarf Asters in colors you like best.



Shrub Border or Corner Planting

Multiply this border to cover the back or the length of your lot and enjoy colorful bloom from early spring through late fall. (1) is White Flowering Dogwood; (2) is Forsythia; (3) is Beauty Bush; (4) is Double Althea Rose of Sharon; (5) is an accent of Purple Plum. If you repeat the border you may choose other tall plants as accents for this spot. (6) is A. G. Hydrangea; (7) is Potentilla Gold Drop. If you multiply the border you may use alternate varieties of Dogwood, or Althea. For variation, (2) may be one of the MockOranges, and (3) and (4) may be French Lilacs. White dotted line shows portion of border in sketch.



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Plans are Keyed to Wards Zone Map. Unlike many landscape plans that call for plants difficult to obtain or not suited for many areas; the plans presented in Wards guide include plants zoned for your area, and offered for sale in this catalog.

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(See Below at Right Regarding Climbers.)

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What You May Expect in Each Grade or Size

Grade A: This is the same as American Association of Nurserymen Grade 1½. Sturdy, well rooted branched plants with 2 or more canes. Bushes become bigger, fuller, and bear more flowers in succeeding years. An economical grade for gardeners who are willing to wait a year or two for a bigger bush.

Grade AA: This is the same as American Association of Nurserymen Grade 1. Plants have bigger roots and are heavier branched than Grade A, and have 3 or more canes. This size produces more roses the first two years than Grade A bushes.

Grade AAA: The giants of the nursery row. Plant is bigger than Wards AA Grade. Bushes are fuller and heavier, and usually produce more numerous blooms the first few years. Will immediately give your rose garden the appearance of being nicely established since it is the largest grade offered by the trade.

Patented Roses: The price of a patented rose bush is established by the patent owner. Patented roses shipped by Wards are Grade AA or larger as described above.

Why Wards Can Guarantee Satisfaction

During the 2 years that Wards roses have grown in the field they have received the best of care. They've been fed, watered, sprayed during this period. They are GUARANTEED disease-free. They are dug during dormancy, scientifically stored in an air conditioned humidified storehouse To KEEP THEM DORMANT. This is important to their good growing start in your garden.

American Rose Society Ratings Can Help You Choose

The American Rose Society has established a National rating system to help you choose roses. 10 is considered perfect; 9 to 10 outstanding, 8 to 8.9 excellent, 7 to 7.9 good, 6 to 6.9 fair. 5.9 or less is considered of questionable value. Over 90% of all Ward bush roses are rated 7.0 or better. Listed varieties that rate less than 7.0 are those in demand because of color, fragrance or performance. A few varieties have not been rated.

Choose Climbing Roses

TO COVER TRELLIS, FENCE OR ARBOR

Hybrid Tea Climbers—Collection of 3 for \$3⁶⁰—Grade A

Here are three of your favorite Hybrid Tea Roses in Climbing form. They bloom in abundance in late spring and intermittently to frost. Blooms are the same large size and color as regular Hybrid Tea roses.

- ① **Hybrid Tea Climber Collection.** Includes 1 each of A, B, and C.
 91 GB 5264—GRADE AA (Number 1 Roses). *Postpaid*.....All 3 for \$4.10
 91 GB 5265—GRADE A (Number 1½ Roses). *Shipped Postpaid*. All 3 for 3.60
- ② 91 GB 5104—**Cl. Mrs. P. S. DuPont.** Deep golden yellow double blooms. Sweetly fragrant. More blooms than most climbing roses. Not rated.
- ③ 91 GB 5102—**Cl. Etoile de Hollande.** Huge crimson flowers have a lustrous velvety nap. Superb in color and form. Will stand up better in extreme heat than most other red roses. For pillar or trellis. Rated 8.6.
- ④ 91 GB 5103—**Cl. President Hoover.** Flower is a blend of cerise, orange and carmine with a pronounced fragrance. This is one of the most brilliantly colored Hybrid Tea Roses in Climbing form. Color is unfading. Makes a very reliable climbing rose wherever it is grown. Not rated.

Prices of above Climbing Roses—State Cat. No. and Grade

GRADE AA. (Regular Grade Number 1.) *Shipped Postpaid*.....Each \$1.50
 GRADE A. (Regular Grade Number 1½.) *Shipped Postpaid*.....Each 1.30

Recently Patented Climbers—Collection of 3 for \$6⁹⁵

If you're looking for the newer Climbers—the more improved varieties—you'll want to try all three of these fine introductions in a glorious array of color. Read about size of Patented Roses below at left.

- ① **Patented Climber Collection.** Includes 1 each of D, E, and F.
 91 GB 5271—*Shipped Postpaid*.....All 3 Climbers for \$6.95
- ② 91 GB 5114—**Golden Showers.** A 1957 All America Rose Selection. The first Climber to win this award in 16 years. An ever-blooming golden yellow rose on self-supporting canes from 8 to 10 feet tall. Let it grow as a shrub or train on trellis. Dark green glossy foliage is resistant to mildew, blackspot. Long pointed buds. Fragrant, huge blooms on almost thornless stems. Often blooms first year. Plant Pat. 1557. Too new to be rated. *Postpaid*.....Each \$2.75
- ③ 91 GB 5109—**Spectacular.** A vibrant, new, orange-red climber that strikes a new color note among climbers. This color does not fade even in 100° temperatures. Large size blooms are borne in clusters. Makes canes 6 to 7 ft. tall the first year, and goes on from there. Produces a very strong fall bloom. Plant Pat. 1416. Not rated. *Postpaid*.....Each \$2.50
- ④ 91 GB 5110—**Aloha.** Deep coral-pink buds open to rich rose-pink blooms that are perfectly formed and fully double. Continuous in its bloom production. Long stems. Glossy foliage. This is a Pillar type—usually grows 8 to 10 ft. tall. Very fragrant, Pat. No. 948. Rated 6.2. *Postpaid*.....Each \$2.50

Old Fashioned Climbing Roses—Collection of 4 for \$4⁵⁰—Grade A

They have been growing in gardens for years and are still considered among the best. In one season they will produce hundreds of blooms in generous clusters, with very little care. Vigorous.

- ① **Old Fashioned Climbers Collection.** Includes 1 each of G, H, J, and K.
 91 GB 5209—GRADE AA. (Number 1 Roses). *Postpaid*.....All 4 for \$5.20
 91 GB 5208—GRADE A. (Number 1½ Roses). *Shipped Postpaid*. All 4 for 4.50
- ② 91 GB 5115—**Paul's Scarlet Climber.** Blooms in June. One of the brightest and most popular climbers. Clusters of brilliant scarlet, semi-double flowers that will not burn or blue. For trellis or arbor. Rated 9.1.
- ③ 91 GB 5116—**New Dawn.** A favorite of many rosarians. Masses of large blush-pink blooms in early summer and intermittently until fall. Fragrant. Very vigorous grower for arbor or pergola. Glossy foliage. Rated 8.8.
- ④ 91 GB 5118—**Doubloons.** Golden-yellow buds; large cup-shaped blooms. Blooms over long period in late spring. Excellent for cutting. Rated 7.1.
- ⑤ 91 GB 5117—**City of York.** Won top honors of A.R.S. Medium size, creamy-white blooms, golden stamens; fragrant. Early summer. Rated 8.6.

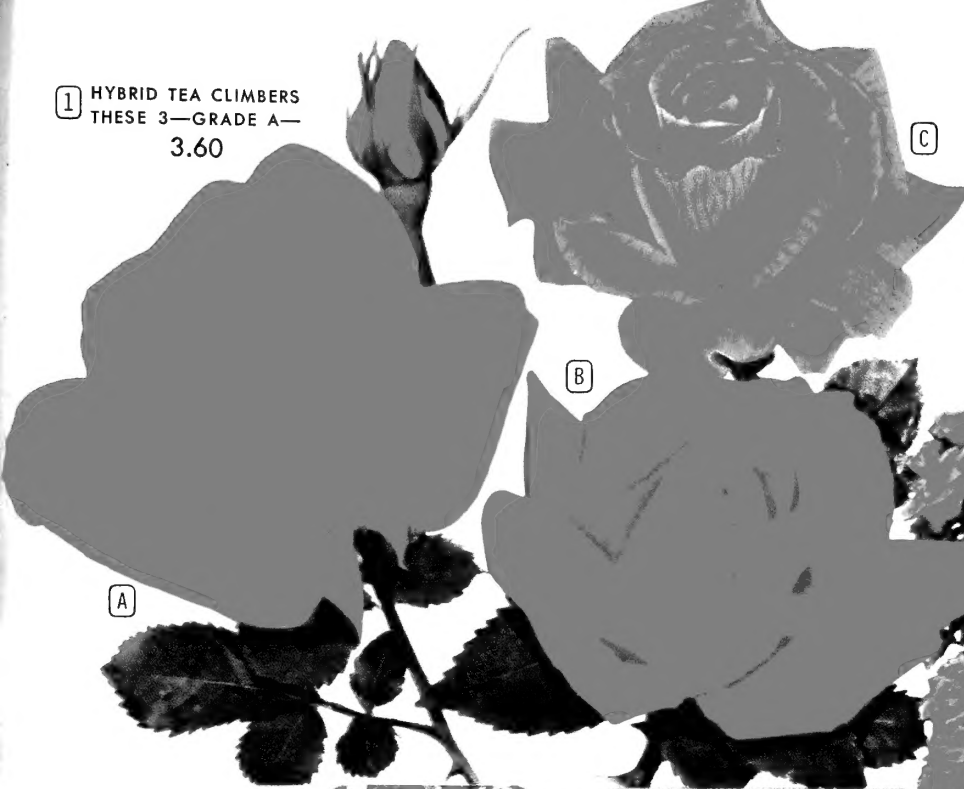
Prices of above Old Fashioned Climbers—State Cat. No. and Grade

GRADE AA. (Regular Grade Number 1.) *Shipped Postpaid*.....Each \$1.45
 GRADE A. (Regular Grade Number 1½.) *Shipped Postpaid*.....Each 1.25

⑥ 91 GB 5107—**Improved Blaze.** Often referred to as everblooming Paul's Scarlet. Bright scarlet semi-double blooms in late spring, intermittently all summer. Vigorous. Rated 8.1. *Postpaid*. State Grade.
 GRADE AA. (Regular Grade Number 1.).....Each \$1.45
 GRADE A. (Regular Grade Number 1½.).....Each 1.25

Climbing Roses Are Easy to Grow in All Zones. You can have masses of beautiful blooms every year if you follow a simple program of "Beauty insurance". Plant in a sunny, open location. Prune only to cut away dead wood or shorten a few canes. Climbers bloom on wood made the previous year, therefore, the climbers you plant this year will bloom next year and every year thereafter. For more blooms apply fertilizer early in spring and after the first blooming period beginning the second year. A regular program of spraying or dusting will protect roses from insects and disease. Provide winter protection in zones 7 through 9. (Zone Map Pg. 6.)

1 HYBRID TEA CLIMBERS
THESE 3—GRADE A—
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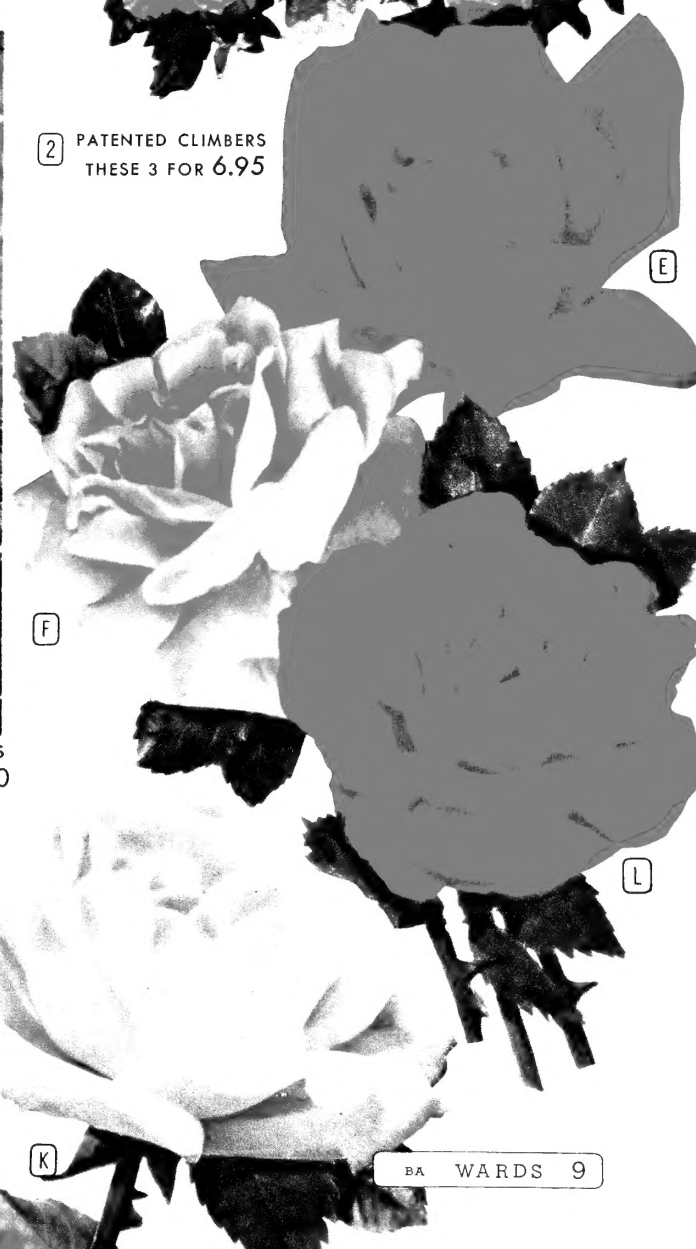
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2 PATENTED CLIMBERS
THESE 3 FOR 6.95



G
PAUL'S
SCARLET
CLIMBER



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F

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3 OLD FASHIONED CLIMBERS
THESE 4—GRADE A—4.50



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J

K



1 PATENTED ROSES
These 6 for 12.75

Choose from 19 of the World's Best

GUARANTEED TO BLOOM THIS SUMMER IF PLANTED THIS SPRING

Front Cover Rose—1958 All-America Rose Selection Winner

White Knight. First white hybrid tea rose to win AARS award. Long, tapered buds are creamy ivory color at base. White blooms have gracefully curling petals—do not ball but retain their form, satiny texture and whiteness to the end. Rich, green leathery foliage. Very free blooming, vigorous and disease-resistant. Too new to be rated.

91 GB 5046—Shipped *Postpaid* in Spring or Fall Each \$3.00

Collection of 6 Famous Patented Roses \$12.75

1 91 GB 5219—Collection. Includes 1 each (A) through (F). *Postpaid*. All 6 for \$12.75

A Golden Masterpiece. 6.6 One of the finest yellow Hybrid Teas. Golden buds brushed with crimson. Outstanding size, profusion of bloom. Plant Pat. 1284. 91 GB 5028—*Postpaid*. Each \$2.75

B New Yorker. 8.0 Favorite of many gardeners. Fragrant scarlet blooms. Gold medal winner. Plant Pat. 823. 91 GB 5015—*Postpaid*. Each \$2.25

C Peace. 9.6 AARS winner in 1946. Highest rated rose ever developed. Ivory-yellow, tinges of pink. Pat. 591. 91 GB 5021—*Postpaid*. Each \$2.50

D First Love. 8.0 Beautiful, long, tapering buds are deep rose-pink; open to delicate pink centers. Plant Pat. 921. 91 GB 5017—*Postpaid*. Each \$2.25

E Charlotte Armstrong. 9.0 AARS winner in 1941. Huge, carmine-red blooms with high, tight centers. Sweet, haunting fragrance. Plant Pat. 455. 91 GB 5010—*Postpaid*. Each \$2.25

F Forty-Niner. 7.2 AARS winner in 1949. One of the best bicolors. Red petals, golden-yellow on reverse. Plant Pat. 792. 91 GB 5003—*Postpaid*. Each \$2.25

Facts About Patented Roses. Patent rights are granted hybridizers for developing new and distinctive rose varieties. Benefits gained from the sale of these fine plants enable the hybridizer to continue the research necessary to develop other new roses. This constant improvement means better quality roses for you. To propagate new varieties from the original cross to the granting of a patent, takes about ten years.

Collection of 3 Grandifloras \$6.25

2 **Grandiflora Collection**—Includes 1 each of Roses (G), (H) and (J).

91 GB 5212—*Postpaid*. . . . All 3 for \$6.25

G Queen Elizabeth. 9.1 AARS winner in 1955. Blend of soft carmine-rose and delicate pink. Fragrant. Plant Pat. 1259. 91 GB 5029—*Postpaid*. Each \$2.50

H Carrousel. 9.0 Dark crimson buds, non-fading red blooms on long stems keep repeating all summer. Bushy, prolific habit of growth makes it ideal for borders. Plant Pat. 1066.

91 GB 5026—*Postpaid*. Each \$2.00

J Buccaneer. 7.3 Winner of Gold Medal. Slender yellow buds retain color when open. Fragrant. Plant Pat. 1119. 91 GB 5016—*Postpaid*. Each \$2.50

Facts About Grandiflora Roses. A new group of roses that grow taller than Hybrid Teas, yet boast the hardiness and free-flowering habits of Floribundas. Flowers are borne in large clusters on long cutting stems; individual blooms are not always as large as Hybrid Teas, but larger than the average Floribunda. For mass color background or border.

2 GRANDIFLORA ROSES
These 3 for 6.25





3 PATENTED ROSES
These 5 for 10.50

Everblooming Patented Roses

SHIPPED POSTPAID AT PLANTING TIME IN SPRING OR FALL

Collection of 5 Patented Roses \$10⁵⁰

3 91 GB 5206—Includes 1 each (A), (B), (C), (D) and (E) pictured above and described below. *Postpaid*.....All 5 \$10.50

A 91 GB 5014—**Helen Traubel**. 8.7 AARS winner in 1952. Magnificent fragrant blooms of tremendous size. Color varies with climate, from sparkling pink to luminous apricot. Long stems. Graceful, slender buds. Plant Pat. 1028. *Postpaid*.....Each \$2.75

B 91 GB 5004—**Chrysler Imperial**. 8.8 Only Hybrid Tea Rose to win the AARS award in 1953. Velvety-maroon buds; enormous high-centered crimson blooms. Excellent for cutting, flowers retain freshness for several days. Plant Pat. 1167. *Postpaid*....Each \$2.50

C 91 GB 5032—**White Swan**. 6.8. Long, tapering buds open slowly to form pure white blooms of exceptional size. Tall plants with disease-resistant foliage. Plant Pat. 1115. *Postpaid*.....Each \$2.25

D 91 GB 5009—**Tallyho**. 8.4 AARS winner in 1949. One of the most exquisite bi-colors. Pink petals with bold, artistic veining have crimson on reverse side. Beautifully formed blooms borne abundantly. Plant Pat. 828. *Postpaid*.....Each \$2.25

E 91 GB 5008—**Golden Scepter**. 7.3 Known as Spek's Yellow in Holland where it originated, and won highest Rose Award in 1950. Also winner of "Best Rose" award in England. Bright, unfading blooms are pure yellow. Plant Pat. 910. *Postpaid*. Each \$2.00

Collection of 9 Patented Roses \$18²⁰, Save \$3.30

4 91 GB 5224—Includes 1 each of all 9 Patented Roses pictured and described on this pg. (A through J) *Postpaid*. All 9 for \$18.20
NUMBERS FOLLOWING NAMES ARE RATINGS. SEE DETAILS ON PG. 8.

F

5 PATENTED ROSES
These 4 for 8.75

G

H

J

Collection of 4 AARS Patented Roses \$8⁷⁵

5 91 GB 5207—Includes 1 each (F), (G), (H) and (J) pictured and described below. *Postpaid*....All 4 for \$8.75

F 91 GB 5031—**Tiffany**. 9.0 AARS winner in 1955. Immense blooms unsurpassed for size and perfection. Pink and gold buds open into radiant pink flowers with a golden glow at the base. Plant Pat. 1304. *Postpaid*.....Each \$2.50

G 91 GB 5012—**Nocturne**. 8.1 AARS winner in 1948. Maintains its vivid coloring even in hottest weather. Petals bright red with dark velvety shadings toward center of bloom. Extremely attractive buds. Lovely fragrance. Plant Pat. 713. *Postpaid*.....Each \$2.25

H 91 GB 5023—**Sutter's Gold**. 8.1 AARS winner in 1950. Winner of numerous other awards in France and elsewhere. Slim, tapering buds in brilliant combination of orange and vermillion. Fragrant. Plant Pat. 885. *Postpaid*. Each \$2.25

J 91 GB 5001—**Mojave**. 7.6 AARS winner in 1954. Glowing orange, suffused with scarlet and crimson. Long, tapering buds, big fragrant blooms. Plant Pat. 1176. *Postpaid*. Ea. \$2.75

ABOUT THE AARS. Roses that win the coveted AARS award (All America Rose Selection), are aristocrats of the Rose World. AARS maintains 23 test gardens throughout the U.S. Four plants of each rose to be tested are entered in these trial gardens by hybridizers from all parts of the world. Plants are scored by impartial judges for 2 years. At end of test period, scores from all gardens are compiled, and roses with highest averages are voted on by a board of master rosarians to determine whether or not they are worthy of the "Oscar," the AARS tag. Of more than 700 roses tested thus far, only 47 have won the AARS award.





1 MCGREDY ROSES
Grade A—4 for 4.50

Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses

GUARANTEED TO BLOOM THIS SUMMER, IF PLANTED THIS SPRING.

Buy Choice Roses at Low Cost from Wards Selected Non-Patented Varieties

You get choice roses at economy prices when you buy Wards non-patented roses. All have stood the test of time. Many were developed before patent laws were in effect; others were patented, but the rights have run out and cannot be renewed. All are fine roses and good values.

About Grades of Roses

Grade AAA roses are the highest quality everblooming Hybrid Tea roses. Grown under ideal conditions, with exceptionally large root systems. Plants selected for this Grade are the giants of the nursery row. Very few plants attain this size.

Grade AA is the same as American Ass'n of Nurserymen Grade 1.

Grade A is the same as AAN Grade 1½. More facts on Pg. 8.

McGredy Rose Collection \$4.50

Continued successes in rose hybridization for nearly 100 years has placed the McGredy family among the top 5 hybridizers in the world. In the U.S. nearly 200 roses have been introduced that originated with this famous Irish family. The McGredy name appears on only their finest roses. Wards offers you 4 varieties below.

1 McGredy Collection. Includes 1 each of (A), (B), (C) and (D). Buy all 4 of these roses in Grade A and Save 10%. *Postpaid*.

91 GB 5243—Grade AA.....All 4 for \$5.40
91 GB 5242—Grade A.....All 4 for 4.50

A 91 GB 5048—McGredy's Ivory. 7.2. Some consider it best white commercial rose. Creamy buds, fragrant pure white blooms.

B 91 GB 5063—Mrs. Sam McGredy. 7.9. Bright orange-scarlet, high-centered, fragrant blooms. Bushy with bronze-green foliage.

C 91 GB 5059—McGredy's Yellow. 7.5. Canary-yellow, non-fading blooms against dark green glossy foliage. Lovely fragrance.

D 91 GB 5055—McGredy's Scarlet. 7.5. Beautifully formed buds and brilliant red blooms, with orange at base. Slight fragrance.

Price of McGredy Roses. State Grade.
Grade AA—Shipped *Postpaid*.....Each \$1.40
Grade A—Shipped *Postpaid*.....Each 1.25

5 Famous Roses Grade A \$5.50

2 Non-Patented Collection. Includes (E), (F), (G), (H) and (J) below. Shipped *Postpaid*.
91 GB 5293—Grade AA.....All 5 for \$6.25
91 GB 5294—Grade A.....All 5 for 5.50

E 91 GB 5081—Christopher Stone. 8.1. Has maintained an enviable reputation for 20 years. Velvety-red. Continues to be favorite rose among many gardeners.

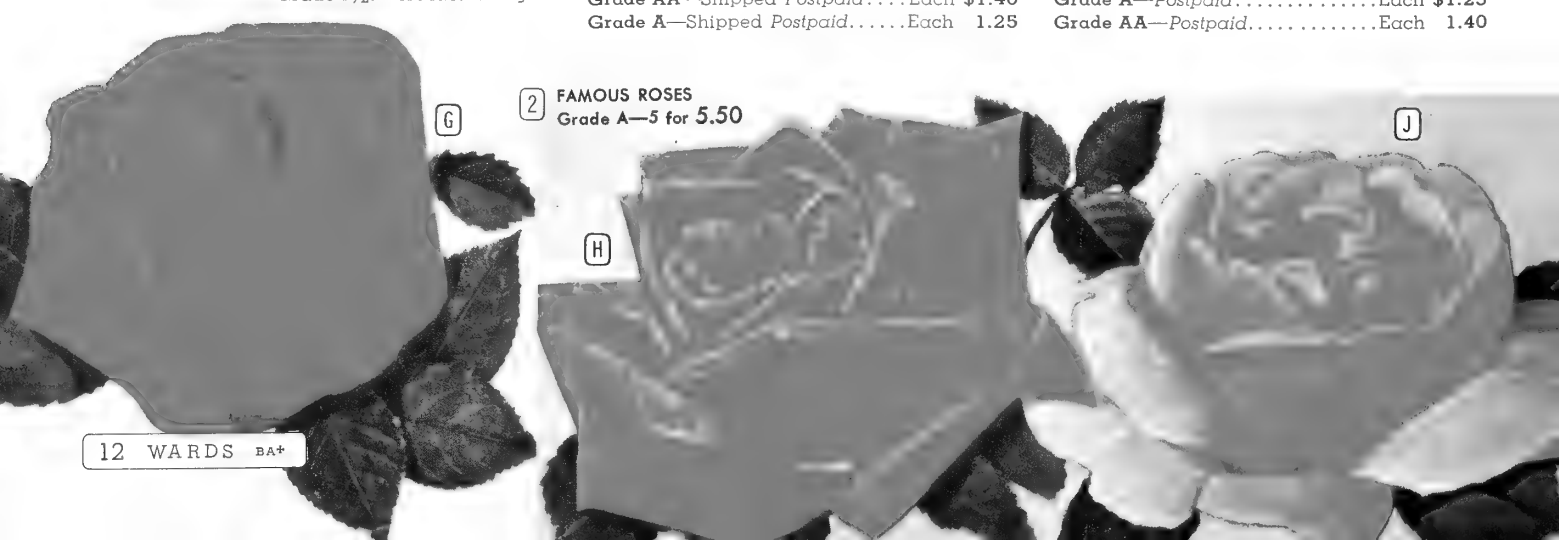
F 91 GB 5078—Talisman. 6.5. Combination of orange, yellow, rose-red; Old-time favorite, famous for its perfect form.

G 91 GB 5065—Etoile De Hollande. 8.1. Valued for its bright, unfading red blooms. Velvety texture and true rose scent. Very free flowering. Handsome foliage.

H 91 GB 5077—Sister Therese. 7.5. Also known as Soeur Therese. Golden-yellow buds and pure yellow roses in huge clusters on sturdy, erect stems. Very popular.

J 91 GB 5067—Pink Radiance. 7.9. In gardens of rosarians everywhere. Large, beautifully formed cameo-pink flowers have deeper pink on reverse side of petals. Fragrant.

Price of Above 5 Roses.—State Grade.
Grade A—*Postpaid*.....Each \$1.25
Grade AA—*Postpaid*.....Each 1.40



2 FAMOUS ROSES
Grade A—5 for 5.50



—Your Choice of Three Grades

SHIPPED POSTPAID AT PLANTING TIME IN SPRING OR FALL

Collection of 7 Favorite Roses, All Rated 7.4 or Better \$7⁹⁵

- [3] Favorite Rose Collection.** Complete color range, ideal for beginner's garden.
 91 GB 5297—**Grade AAA**, largest of all rose bushes. *Postpaid*..... All 7 for \$10.95
 91 GB 5296—**Grade AA**, Same as AAN Grade 1. *Postpaid*..... All 7 for 8.95
 91 GB 5295—**Grade A**, Same as AAN Grade 1½. *Postpaid*..... All 7 for 7.95
- [A] 91 GB 5050—Crimson Glory.** 9.1 Considered by most rosarians to be best red rose developed. Referred to as "world champion." Priced low because Patent rights have expired. Exquisite deep crimson blooms with velvety nap. Fragrant.
- [B] 91 GB 5075—Picture.** 8.0 One of the finest pink roses. Traces of salmon impart a warm glow. Delightful fragrance.
- [C] 91 GB 5061—Eclipse.** 8.1 Consistent prize winner because of the shape and coloring of its slim, tapering buds. Golden-yellow blooms throughout season.
- [D] 91 GB 5054—Poinsettia.** 7.6 One of the brightest red roses. Won many honors. Bright, unfading. Fine texture. Fragrant.
- [E] 91 GB 5052—Pedalbes.** 7.4 Sleek, creamy buds become lighter as they unfold. Full bloom is crisp white, with yellow heart deep down in center.
- [F] 91 GB 5056—Condessa De Santiago.** 7.4 An eye-catching study in contrasts wherever it is grown. Bi-color with red and gold striped buds. Large, fragrant blooms are copper-red on inside, golden-yellow on outside. Dark green, glossy foliage.
- [G] 91 GB 5051—Countess Vandal.** 7.5 (Comtesse Vandal). Considered "most artistic" by many rosarians. Gold medal winner. Salmon and pink with brighter pink on reverse. Gold at base. Frequently appears on list of "Ten Favorite Roses." Low price because Patent rights have expired.

Prices of Above Seven Favorite Roses. *Postpaid. State Grade.*

Grade AAA . . . Largest size attainable.....Each \$1.75; Any 3 for \$5.10
Grade AA . . . Heavily branched; large roots.....Each 1.40; Any 3 for 3.95
Grade A . . . Sturdy, well rooted branched plants.....Each 1.25; Any 3 for 3.60

For Explanation of Grades AAA, AA and A, see Paragraph on opposite Page.

For Explanation of Rating Which Appears After Every Name, see Paragraph, Page 8.

Tree Roses, Each \$6²⁵

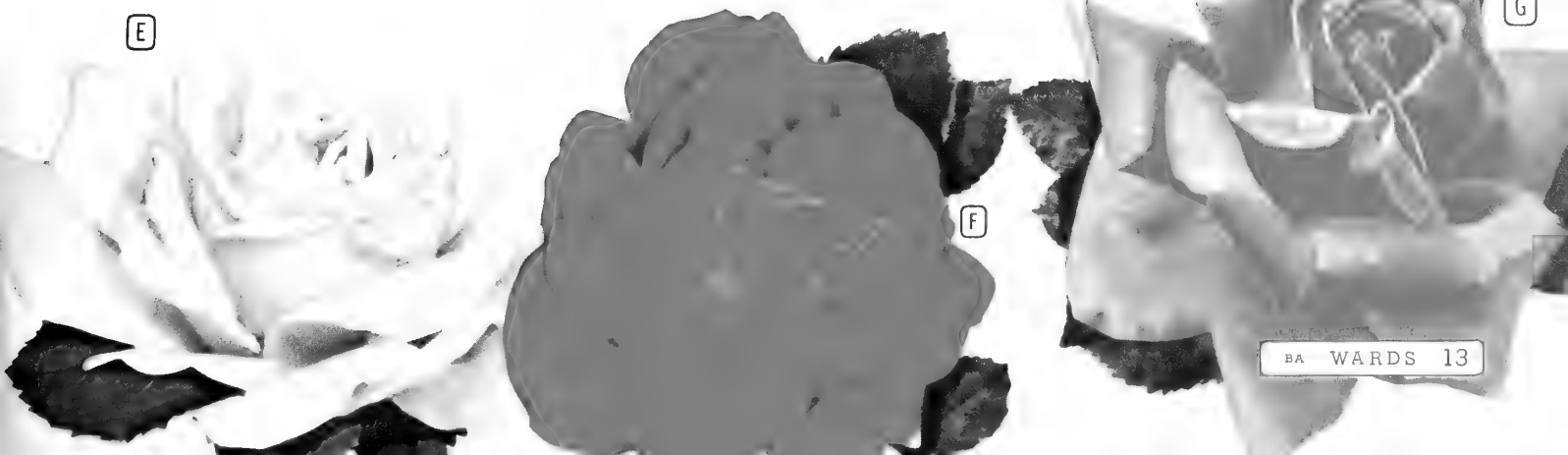
- [H] 91 GB 5140—Crimson Glory.** 9.1 Same description as (A) at left.
- 91 GB 5144—**Picture.** 8.0 Same description as for (B) at left.
- 91 GB 5141—**Eclipse.** 8.1 Same description as for (C) at left.
- 91 GB 5145—**Poinsettia.** 7.6 Same description as for (D) at left.

Prices of Tree Roses

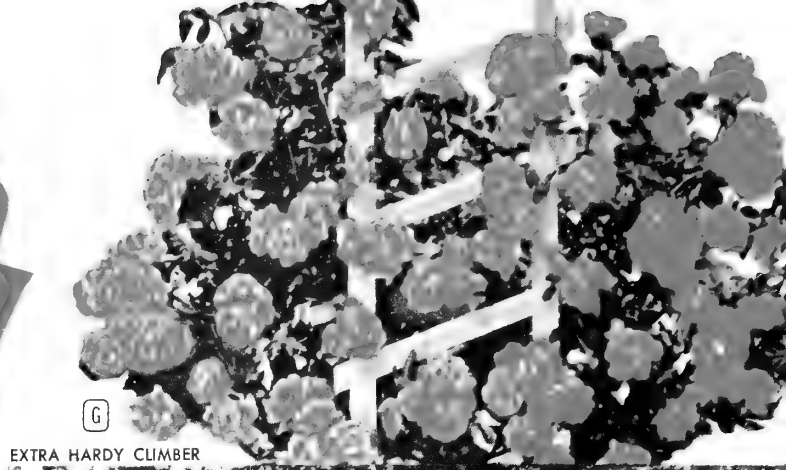
Postpaid. Ea. \$6.25; Any 3 for \$17.25

Facts About Tree Roses

Tree Roses (also called Rose Standards) are the aristocrats of the garden. Developed for "eye-level" viewing. Particularly desirable for formal plantings or for bordering the edge of a long walk, but also very effective when spotted throughout the rose garden with a circle of Floribundas planted around the base. Produce an abundance of the same large-size blooms as regular Hybrid Tea Roses. Hardy in all zones but require winter protection in zones 7 through 9. *Shipped Postpaid in spring only.*



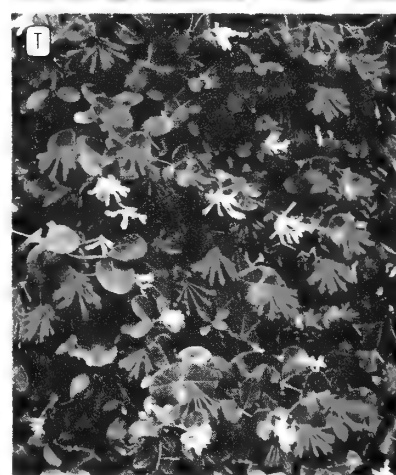
EXTRA HARDY
HYBRID TEA ROSES
These 6 for 9.95



EXTRA HARDY CLIMBER



CLEMATIS VINES
K, L, and M
All 3 for 3.45



Brownell Sub-Zero Roses and Rose Hedge

GUARANTEED TO GROW AND BLOOM THIS SUMMER IF PLANTED THIS SPRING

Hardy Brownell Roses—2 Year, No. 1 Bushes Ea. \$185 Postpaid

Rose Hedge under 70c Ea. in Lots of 10

A special strain developed to withstand extremely cold temperatures. Brownell Sub-zero Roses and Rose Hedges have seldom been known to winter-kill. In a recent report by a leading University professor (1956 American Rose Annual), results of the devastating 1955 spring freeze were tabulated. Of 36 roses tested, 14 were Brownells. They not only proved to be highly resistant to the late spring freeze, but withstood winter temperatures of zero and below, without protection. Brownells thrive in all localities. Bloom all summer. When well established, some varieties have been known to produce more than 100 blossoms in one season; bloom from early spring to frost. Famous too, for resistance to blackspot. All Brownell roses are protected by patent rights.

Wards ship healthy No. 1 two-year old plants that are sure to thrive and bloom in your garden. Brownells should be planted deeper than other roses; plant the bud 3 in. below the ground; 4 in. for Climbers. Prefer a sunny location. Hardy in all Zones. See Zone Map on Page 6. Shipped Postpaid for spring or fall planting.

A 91 GB 5129—**V for Victory**. 6.6 Magnificent form, unlike any other yellow rose. Fine, tapered buds open slowly to form huge yellow flowers. Non-fading, holds its color even in hot weather. Sweet fragrance. Plant Patent 543.

B 91 GB 5125—**Red Duchess**. 7.6 Majestic blooms with high, pointed centers are a lovely shade of bright red. This variety has a spicy, captivating fragrance that is unforgettable. Highly resistant to blackspot. Plant Patent 846.

C 91 GB 5127—**Shades of Autumn**. 6.3 Outstanding bi-color. Brilliant, fragrant blooms; a combination of rich scarlet, deep rose and golden yellow. Beautiful for mass plantings. Plant Patent 542.

D 91 GB 5126—**Pink Princess**. 7.7 Dainty red buds, large rose-pink flowers with delicate coppery shadings. Very fragrant. Has been known to withstand temperatures 25° below zero. Dark, glossy foliage, resistant to blackspot and disease. Plant Patent 459.

E 91 GB 5130—**Queen O' The Lakes**. 7.6 Must be seen to be appreciated. Beautifully formed blooms open to reveal brilliant red petals of exquisite texture and sheen. Fragrant. Plant Patent 1003.

F 91 GB 5132—**Orange Ruffles**. 6.2 Unusual color rarely found in a rose; bright orange with shadings of yellow. Bears many large flowers with beautifully frilled petals. Plant Patent 1124.

Prices of Above Brownell Sub-Zero Roses

Shipped Postpaid. State No. and Quantity.....Each \$1.85

G 91 GB 5128—**Climbing Golden Pyramid**. Considered one of the hardiest of all climbing roses but winter protect zones 8 and 9. Golden-yellow, fragrant blooms in great clusters, almost conceal the foliage in early summer. Vigorous grower. Blossoms appear second year, on canes grown the first year. Postpaid.....Each \$1.85

Collection of 6 Brownell Hybrid Tea Roses Above for \$995

Brownell Collection. Includes 1 each of 6 roses (A) through (F) pictured at left and described above. An excellent variety of colors for more severe climates.

91 GB 5278—You save \$1.60. Postpaid.....All 6 Brownells for \$9.95

COVER ARBOR, TRELLIS, FENCE OR WALL WITH COLORFUL VINES

Decorative Clematis Vines—Each \$125

Hardy, Easy-To-Grow Vines—Low as 65c Each

Jackmani Hybrid Clematis below have the biggest flowers, most variety of shape and color of any group of hardy vines. Usually grow to 10 ft. Plants die down to the ground in winter but grow up again in spring. Often bloom first year. Do best in rich, deep, well drained soil. Hardy, but protect in winter in zones 8 and 9. Plant spring only. Plants are pot grown.

K 91 GB 2610—**Jackmani**. Blooms all summer. Unusually large velvety Purple-blue flowers. Most widely grown Clematis.

L 91 GB 2614—**Mrs. Cholmondeley**. A rare shade of delicate blue. Extra large, open flowers borne in abundance. Blooms freely.

M 91 GB 2613—**Crimson Star**. Blooms all summer. Extremely vigorous. Saucer-size flowers of brilliant red cover the vine.

Prices of Above Clematis. Shipped Postpaid. State Catalog Number. Potted plants. Ea. \$1.25

91 GB 2615—**Clematis Collection**. Includes 1 each K, L, and M. Postpaid.....All 3 for \$3.45

N 91 GB 2623—**Comtesse De Bouchard**. Blooms summer and early fall. Deeply veined petals of satiny rose. Lighter midrib. Ppd. Ea. \$1.40

O 91 GB 2618—**Sweetautumn Clematis**. (C. paniculata). Blooms in fall. Grows 20 ft. tall. White flowers are smaller than regular Jackmani Clematis above, but are borne in greater abundance. Shipped Postpaid.....Each \$1.00

For attractive Trellises see Page 16.

Vines listed below thrive in any ordinary soil. Plant in spring or fall.

P **Scarlet Trumpet Vine** (*Campsis radicans*). Blooms late summer. Usually climbs 12 ft. Trumpet shaped flowers lined with Scarlet. Will cling to wood or brick. Prefers rich moist soil, sun. Hardy all zones.

91 GB 5541—Postpaid.....Each 85c

R **Bittersweet, Oriental** (*Celastrus orbiculata*). Yellow flowers in early summer, orange berries in fall. May be dried for winter bouquets. Very tall growing. Plant 2 or more for cross-pollination. Hardy all zones.

91 GB 5537—Postpaid.....Each 95c

T **Hall's Honeysuckle** (*Lonicera Japonica halliana*). Blooms summer and fall. Often grows to 20 ft. Fragrant gold and white flowers. Blue-green foliage remains until mid-winter. For sun or light shade. Hardy all zones.

91 GB 5539—Postpaid.....Each 65c

U **Goldflame Honeysuckle** (*Lonicera heckrottii*). Flowers in summer and early fall. Usually climbs to 15 ft. Fragrant clusters of deep scarlet trumpets lined with gold. Glossy blue-green foliage is evergreen in mild climates. Hardy all zones. Plant in sun or shade.

91 GB 5525—Postpaid.....Each 95c

V **Wistaria Purple** (*W. frutescens*). Blooms in spring. Grows to 20 ft. Big clusters of fragrant purple blooms. Gray-green foliage. Requires sturdy support. Requires full sun, and plenty of moisture. Hardy in zones 1 through 7. Protect in winter in zones 6 and 7.

91 GB 5542—Postpaid.....Each \$1.10

W **Silver Lace Vine** (*Polygonum aubertii*). Blooms late summer through fall. Fast growing. Usually climbs to 25 ft. Covered with misty foam-like white flowers. Disease-resistant. Hardy zones 1 through 7. Best in full sun.

91 GB 5532—Postpaid.....Each \$1.10

Z **Hardy Ivy** (*Hedera helix*). Very tall growing, if allowed to climb, frequently reaches a height of 80-90 feet. Glossy green foliage remains green all winter. Popular as a ground cover or vine. Clings to any surface. Plant in sun or shade. Hardy zones 1 through 7.

91 GB 2628—Pot grown plants. Shipped Postpaid.....Each 85c

H **J** If you have always dreamed of planting a rose border around your garden, or using roses for a hedge, here is your opportunity to do so at low cost. Healthy, field-grown plants. Guaranteed to grow and bloom the first summer, and will increase in size and beauty every year thereafter. Floribundas available in red, pink or yellow; Grootendorst in red. Plant 18 inches apart in sun or part shade, in spring only. May be pruned to any height. 9 to 12 inch plants.

H **FLORIBUNDA ROSES**. Grow to 3 ft. in height. Bushes are well branched with dense foliage from base to tip. Excellent for hedge; used extensively for bedding, and to create masses of color for picture-window views. Provide a continuous display of bloom from early summer until frost. Large clusters of buds open to form semi-double flowers.

91 GB 5519—Red..... 91 GB 5526—Pink
91 GB 5527—Yellow

Price of Floribunda Roses

Shipped in Spring only. State Cat. No. Postpaid. 9-12-in. size. 5 of one color \$3.75; 10 of one color \$6.95

J **GROOTENDORST ROSES**. Grow to 4 ft. in height. Bloom from early summer to frost. Belong to the Rugosa family, famous for hardiness and ability to thrive, even under most adverse conditions. Succeed where other shrubs will not survive. Flowers are borne in great clusters, petals fringed like carnations. Require very little care. May be pruned for low growth or allowed to attain full height. Bloom well at any height. Thrive in almost any soil. Available in spring only.

91 GB 5518—**Red Grootendorst**. Cherry-red blossoms stand out in striking contrast against the rich deep green of the foliage.

Price of Grootendorst Roses. Postpaid. State Color.

9-12-in. Size. 5 for \$3.75; 10 for \$6.95; 25 for \$16.75

Feed Your Roses Periodically. Roses, like all other plants, respond to extra care. Once established, roses grow faster and produce more abundant bloom if given one or two applications of fertilizer during the growing season. See Page 21 for Rose Food.





Garden Mark

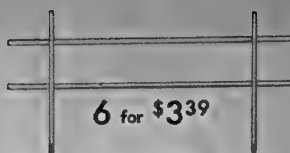
Garden Mark is your assurance of high quality and fine workmanship at Wards typically low prices.



Wood Picket Border

Give your garden a well-groomed appearance. Sections are Northern Hardwood, prime-coated dip-painted White. Pickets, rails and stakes are $\frac{3}{16}$ in. thick by $1\frac{1}{8}$ in. wide—all stapled together to form an attractive, 35-in. long border fence. Pickets are 9 in., spaced about $2\frac{1}{2}$ in. apart. Taller stakes are $15\frac{1}{2}$ in. Stand about 11 to 12 in. above ground when installed. Ship. wt. for four, 4 lbs., 8 oz. *Mailable*.

89 GB 3354 M—4 for.....\$1.29



Ranch Type Border Fence

Garden Mark Decay-resistant Redwood, with distinctive Redwood stained finish. Use around flower beds, borders and shrubs to protect them from cut-corner traffic and damage from household pets. Rails $\frac{1}{2}$ in. by $\frac{3}{4}$ in. by 4 ft. Stakes $\frac{3}{8}$ by $1\frac{1}{4}$ by 18 in., drilled to receive rails. Stands about 12 in. high above ground when installed. Shipped in cartons of 6, sufficient for a 24-ft. fence. Easy to assemble. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. *Mailable*.

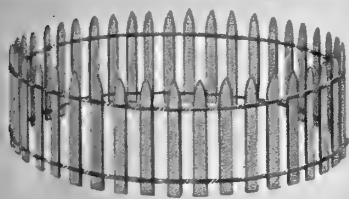
89 GB 3315 M.....6 for \$3.39



Wood Corner Guard

Garden Mark Use to protect corners of your lawn from short-cut traffic, or in pairs to box in small shrubs. Kiln-dried wood, dip-painted white. Corner and end pieces are 1x1 in., pointed at base for easier insertion into ground. Stand about 18 in. above ground, at center when installed. 15 in. from corner to each end piece. Ship. wt. 2 lbs. 8 oz. *Mailable*.

89 GB 3308 M—Each.....\$1.59



Wood Border \$4³⁹ 25 Ft.

Garden Mark Wood and Wire Border. Gothic pointed pickets, 16 in. tall, of Fir or Pine, $\frac{3}{8}$ in. thick by $1\frac{1}{8}$ in. wide, spaced about $2\frac{1}{2}$ in. apart. Two double-strand cables of 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ -gauge galvanized wire hold pickets in place. Prime coat dip painted white. Comes in 25-ft. rolls only. Shipping weight 15 lbs. *Mailable*.

89 GB 3350 M—25-Ft. Roll.. \$4.39

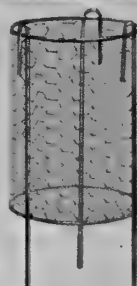


6 for \$1.75

Steel Plant Support

Garden Mark For bushy plants; Peonies, Mums, etc. 11-ga., 14-in. diam. rings; 8-ga. 23-in. stakes. Galvanized. Almost invisible beneath foliage. To install, open rings, place around plant, press into soil. Wt. 5 lbs.

89 GB 3332 M—Mail. 6 for \$1.75

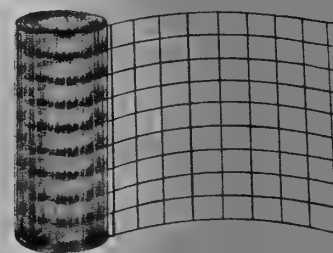


4 for \$1.95

Tree Guard or Border Fence

Garden Mark Easily shaped for many garden and lawn uses. Use in straight line or curve (as shown). 1-in. steel wire mesh, 12 in. high, 36 in. long, welded to three 18-in. steel stakes. Enameled white. Wt. 3 lbs. *Mail*.

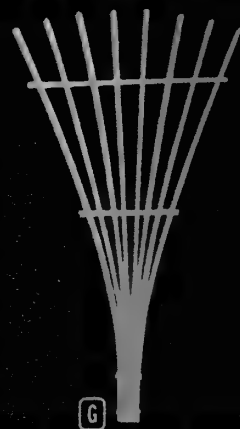
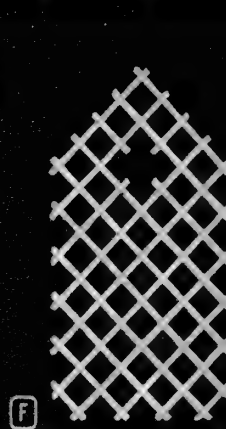
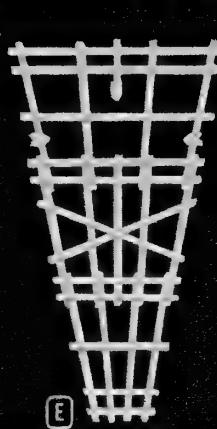
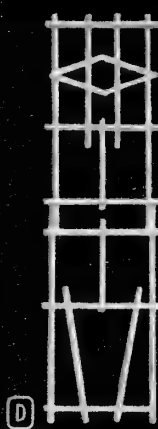
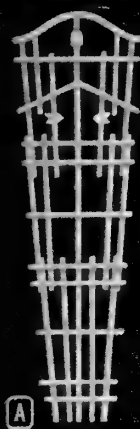
89 GB 3333 M—4 Sections \$1.95



Welded Border Fence \$4⁷⁵

Garden Mark Galvanized after welding to resist rust longer. 16-ga. wires welded at each intersection. Mesh size 2x2 $\frac{3}{8}$ in., 14 galv. steel stakes, 10 ga., 14 in. high included with each roll. 18 in. high. 50 ft. only. Ship. wt. 9 lbs. *Mailable*.

89 GB 3330 M—50-ft. roll.. \$4.75



Wood Trellis \$1⁴⁹ to \$5⁵⁹

Garden Mark Trellis constructed of high-grade, kiln-dried lumber with machine-smooth finish. Joined with tightly-clinched, rust-resistant nails. Prime coat dip-painted white. A, D, E shipped in easy to assemble sections. All trellis made of $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{3}{4}$ -in. lumber; D has $\frac{3}{4}$ x $\frac{3}{4}$ -in. outside uprights (these are finished sizes). Shipped promptly from Stock.

Fan Fair Trellis \$3¹⁰

A Our most popular Trellis. Design harmonizes with all styles of architecture. Excellent for Clematis, climbing roses, other high climbers. 90 in. high, top spread 30 in. *Mailable*. Shipped in 3 parts.
*89 GB 3304 MO—Ship. wt. 6 lbs. 8 oz.....\$3.10

B **Pillar Rose Trellis.** Designed for areas too narrow to accommodate wide-spreading trellises. 15 in. wide, 79 in. high. *Mailable*.
*89 GB 3309 MO—Ship. wt. 2 lbs. 8 oz...Each \$1.49

Extension Fence or Trellis \$2⁴⁹

C Use to enclose outdoor play areas, or as a temporary fence, or use upright as an adjustable Trellis. Easy to set up—simply stretch out to desired length (see closed and open views above). Made of $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch lumber. Ship. wts. ea. 4 lbs. 8 oz.; 5 lbs.; and 9 lbs. 8 oz. *Mailable*.
89 GB 3310 M—22 in. high, opens 8 ft....\$2.49
89 GB 3311 M—30 in. high, opens 10 ft.... 2.95
89 GB 3312 MO—44 in. high, opens 12 ft... 5.59

Windsor Trellis \$3²⁹

D Our newest, tallest Trellis. Strong, $\frac{3}{4}$ by $\frac{3}{4}$ -in. outside uprights, other parts made with $\frac{1}{2}$ by $\frac{3}{4}$ -in. lumber. Shipped in sections, bolts included. Ship. wt. ea., 6 lbs. 8 oz.; and 7 lbs. 8 oz. *Mailable*.
*89 GB 3306 MO—84 in. high, 24 in. wide. \$3.29
*89 GB 3307 MO—94 in. high, 28 in. wide. 3.98

E **Rose Trellis.** Functional design. Top 38 in. wide; 8 ft. high. Shipped in 3 parts. *Mailable*.
*89 GB 3305 MO—Ship. wt. 5 lbs.....Each \$2.69

F **Extension Trellis.** Use on wall or in open braced by stakes. Adjustable. Ship. wt. ea., 7 lbs. and 3 lbs. *Mailable*.
89 GB 3313 MO—7 ft. high, 44 in. wide....\$4.59
89 GB 3314 M—6 ft. high, 22 in. wide.... 2.25

G **8-Leaf Fan Trellis.** An old-time favorite. Round-edged leaves $\frac{1}{2}$ by $\frac{3}{4}$ in., individually inserted and bound together. Sturdy, well-designed for climbing roses. Two cross bars. Ship. wts. 5 lbs.; 6 lbs. 8 oz. *Mailable*.
*89 GB 3302 MO—72 in. high, 44-in. top...\$2.65
*89 GB 3303 MO—88 in. high, 53-in. top... 3.19

6-Leaf Fan Trellis. (not shown). Made from solid block of kiln dried lumber. Banded at base. 3 cross bars. Ship. wt. ea. 3 lbs.; 3 lbs. 8 oz.
*89 GB 3300 MO—72 in. high, 44 in. wide. \$1.59
*89 GB 3301 MO—88 in. high, 53 in. wide. 1.98

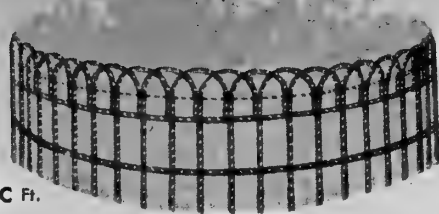


\$3.19 Pair

Aluminum Corner Guards

Garden Mark Satin-finish $\frac{1}{2}$ by $\frac{1}{8}$ in. extruded aluminum. Lasts indefinitely without upkeep. Matches Trellis (W) below. Add an air of refinement to your lawn or garden. Sections join together to make corner guard (see above) square, straight or zigzag pattern border fence. Stand 12 to 13 in. above ground installed. 24 in. wide. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 12 oz. *Mailable.*
89 GB 3341M.....Pair \$3.19

12c Ft.



Garden Mark Wire Border. Horizontal cables, two 13-ga. wires woven together and around 11-ga. pickets spaced 3 in. apart. Reg. or Premium Galvanizing. *State length, height. Up to 25 ft. Mail.*

With Regular Weight Galvanizing.

Cat. No.	Height	Wt. Per 100 Ft.	Per Ft.
89 GB 3328HO	16 in.	44 lbs.	12c
	22 in.	55 lbs.	15c
	28 in.	66 lbs.	18 $\frac{1}{4}$ c

With Premium Weight Galvanizing. Almost 3 times as heavily galvanized as Regular above... lasts longer.

89 GB 3355HO	16 in.	45 lbs.	14c
	22 in.	57 lbs.	17c
	28 in.	68 lbs.	20 $\frac{1}{4}$ c

Plant Stakes

12 for 98c

(H) (J) Heavy-gauge steel rods, bonded to hard finish. Green plastic coating. *Mail. Wts. 1 lb. 8 oz.; 2 lbs. 8 oz.; 4 lbs. 8 oz.*

(H) Plant Stakes. Popular sizes. 89 GB 2221—18 in. . . 12 for 98c
89 GB 2222 M—30 in. 12 for \$1.59
89 GB 2223 M—42 in. 12 for 1.98

(J) Tomato Stakes. 51 in. high. Loop at top, 15 in. from top for securing plants. Wt. 6 lbs. 8 oz. 89GB2224 M—Carton (12) \$2.98

(K) Guard Posts. Heavy $\frac{5}{16}$ -in. diam. rod type, enameled green. Welded anchor plate, ring. Use with border fence, wire or rope.

Cat. No.	Size	Ship. wt.	10 for	25 for
89 GB 3353M	30 in.	8 lbs.	\$2.39	.....
89 GB 3353M	30 in.	20 lbs.	.....	\$5.70
89 GB 3353M	36 in.	10 lbs.	\$2.55	.....
89 GB 3353MB	36 in.	24 lbs.	.....	\$6.10



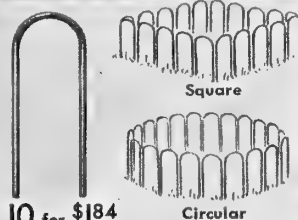
Folding Border Fence

Garden Mark Heavy steel wires. White baked-on enamel finish. Extends to 10 ft.—folds accordion style into 1-ft. package for easy storage. Beautifies garden. Flexible—forms circle, straight line, square or zig-zag border. Push stakes into ground. 18 in. high. Wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz.
89 GB 3348 M—*Mailable.* \$1.95



Wire Border Sections

Garden Mark Heavy-gauge wire, electrically welded into attractive, graceful design. White enamel finish. Longer stakes push into ground, hold firmly. 2-ft. Sections have two stakes, 3-ft. Sections have three stakes. Stands about 12 inches above ground when installed. Cartons of four sections only
89 GB 3352 M—Four 3-ft. Sections. Ship. wt. 7 lbs. \$2.65
89 GB 3351M—Four 2-ft. Sections. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. \$1.75



10 for \$1.84

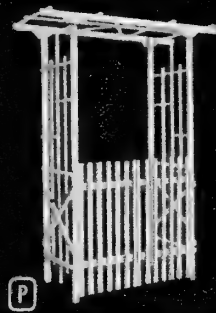
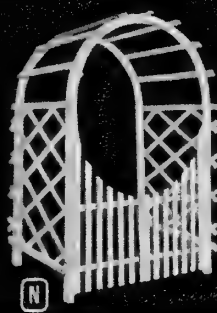
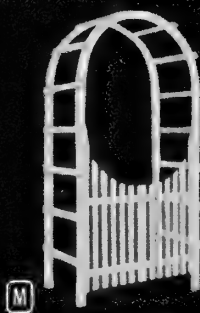
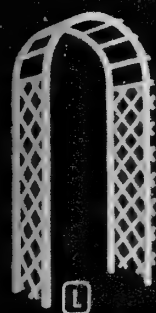
Plastic Coated Steel Wicket

Garden Mark Never rusts, chips or needs painting. Special process, bonds tough white plastic to hardened steel wire—always look new. Set in circle, square or straight line (as shown above). Size overall $\frac{1}{4}$ -in. diam., 12 in. wide, 21 in. high. With lock links for fastening. Carton of 10. Wt. 5 lbs.
89 GB 3336.....10 for \$1.84



Deluxe Border Fence

Garden Mark Scalloped Border Fence. Plastic coated steel. Special process bonds tough white plastic to hardened steel wire. Forms an almost indestructible rust-and-chipproof unit that never requires painting—always looks new. $\frac{1}{4}$ -in. diameter; 30 in. long; 18 in. high. Stands 13 in. above ground after installation. Packaged four to a carton. Ship. wt. 6 lbs. 12 oz. *Mailable.*
89 GB 3337 M—4 for \$2.99



Arbors and Pergolas

Garden Mark Smooth finish, high grade, kiln-dried lumber. Prime dip-painted White. Shipped promptly in sections from Factory near Lansing, Mich. Upright dimensions are unfinished (finished dimensions are slightly less). *Not Mailable.*

(L) Lattice Arbor. For ivy, climbing vines, etc. Uprights 1x2 in. $6\frac{1}{2}$ ft. high; 36 in. wide. 24 in. deep.
89 GB 3316 F—Ship. wt. 20 lbs. \$6.95

(M) Cape Cod Arbor. $6\frac{1}{2}$ ft. high, 36 in. wide inside. 24 in. deep. Uprights 2x2 in. Wts. 43 lbs., 37 lbs.
89 GB 3318 F—With Gate... \$14.50
89 GB 3317 F—Without Gate 11.75

(N) Beaufort Arbor. Our finest, most rugged arbor with extra-heavy lumber used throughout. 7 ft. high; 56 in. wide; 48 in. deep. Uprights 2x3 in. Gates open inward. Ship. wts. 69 lbs., 56 lbs.
89 GB 3320 F—With Gate... \$31.95
89 GB 3319 F—Without Gate 27.50

(P) Garden View Pergola. Simple design, ideal for grape or other vines. $6\frac{1}{2}$ ft. high, 60 in. wide; inside 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. 24 in. deep. Uprights 1x2 in. Ship. wts. 26 lbs., 21 lbs.
89 GB 3322 F—With Gate..... \$9.75
89 GB 3321 F—Without Gate..... 6.95

(R) Roseland Pergola. Ideal for framing your garden view. $6\frac{1}{2}$ ft. high; 6 ft. wide overall; inside 48 in.; 28 in. deep. Uprights 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ by 2 in. Ship. wts. 49 lbs., 38 lbs.
89 GB 3324 F—With Seats..... \$13.50
89 GB 3323 F—Without Seats..... 11.25

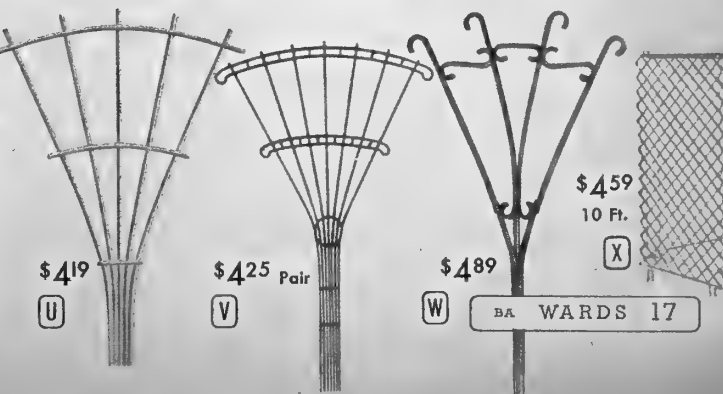
(T) Picture Garden Pergola. Extra-heavy structure and more elaborate trellis design. Will support heaviest vines easily. 7 ft. high; 6 ft. wide overall; inside width 48 in.; 30 in. deep. Uprights 2 by 2 in. Sold with or without seats.
89 GB 3326 F—With Seats. Ship. wt. 75 lbs. \$23.95
89 GB 3325 F—Without Seats. Ship. wt. 66 lbs. \$19.95

(U) Vinyl Plastic Fan Trellis. Tubular trellis won't rust or rot—never needs painting. 5 leaf-type with 3 crossbars. 6 ft. high, spreads 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. For vines, climbers. Unassembled. Crossbars snap into uprights. *State White or Green.*
89 GB 3339 MO—Wt. 4 lbs. *Mail.* \$4.19

(V) Garden Mark Steel Fan Trellis. Attractive, rugged. Round rods welded together at base. 2 cross arms snap into place. 6 ft. high, spreads 42 in. Baked white enamel finish.
89 GB 3334 MO—Wt. 10 lbs. Pair \$4.25

(W) Garden Mark Aluminum Fan Trellis. Satin-finish $\frac{1}{2}$ by $\frac{1}{8}$ in. extruded aluminum. Never needs painting. 68 in. high; 39 in. wide. *Mail.*
89 GB 3340 M—Wt. 2 lbs. 12 oz. \$4.89

(X) Garden Mark Aluminum Screen-Type Trellis. Flexible, decorative—rustproof. Mesh about 2 in.—ideal for vines. Use under ranch type eaves for climbers. 24 in. wide. 10-ft. roll has 2 stretcher rods, 4 screw hooks. 25 ft., 6 rods, 12 hooks. *Mail.*
89GB3346 M—10 Ft. Wt. 4 lbs. 8 oz. \$4.59
89GB3347 M—25 Ft. Wt. 10 lbs. 10.45



\$4.59

10 Ft.

(X)

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Now, at Wards . . . New Packaged Lawns

BUY THE BLEND THAT'S BEST FOR YOU . . . WHETHER SEEDING NEW OR PATCHING



49^c lb.

Covers 200 Sq. Ft.

- **Garden Mark "RUF-N-TUF" Grass Seed** for "action areas," temporary lawns, spots needing occasional re-seeding.
- Medium to coarse texture lawn grows fast, takes abuse, requires little care.
- Grows all spring and summer—ideal for summer cottages.
- Over 800,000 seeds per lb., 70% perennial (permanent) grasses.

Ruf-N-Tuf is a blend of grass seed varieties that takes abuse yet maintains a good looking ground cover—assures an ideal lawn for play areas and summer homes, or temporary lawns where soil must be improved later or, where new construction creates a mud problem.

Stays green most of its lifetime with good watering. May be made permanent by adding some new seed each spring or early fall. Although coarser in texture than All Purpose or Show Lawn Mixtures, it is ideal for problem areas where heavy traffic of children or pets make a "Ruf-N-Tuf" lawn necessary.

Contains Kentucky Bluegrass, Chewings Fescue, Highland (upright) Bent, Perennial and Domestic Rye Grasses. 1 lb. plants 200 sq. ft. (10 by 20-ft. area); for re-seeding old lawns, 1 lb. plants 400 sq. ft. (20 by 20-ft. area). See "Ship. Note".

89 GB 6921—1 lb. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 4 oz. **49c**
 89 GB 6922—5 lbs. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz. . . . **\$2.29**
 89 GB 6923 LB—25 lbs. Ship. wt. 26 lbs. . . . **10.50**
 89 GB 6924 F—50 lbs. Ship. wt. 52 lbs. . . . **19.50**
 89 GB 6925 F—100 lbs. Ship. wt. 103 lbs. . . **36.50**

Merion Ky. Bluegrass \$5⁶⁹ 3 lbs.

For good soils in the sun. Makes hardy, thick cushioned turf that resists weed invasion. Used so successfully on leading University football fields and in major league baseball parks. Stays green when other grass turns brown. 1 lb. covers 750 sq. ft. new lawns; 1 lb. covers 1500 sq. ft. when reseeding. See important "Ship. Note" at right at bottom of page.

89 GB 6920—1 lb. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 4 oz. **\$1.98**
 89 GB 6943—3 lbs. Ship. wt. 3 lbs. 8 oz. . . . **5.69**
 89 GB 6944—15 lbs. Ship. wt. 17 lbs. **27.95**
 89 GB 6945 KB—25 lbs. Ship. wt. 26 lbs. . . . **44.50**
 89 GB 6946 F—50 lbs. Ship. wt. 52 lbs. **86.50**
 89 GB 6947 F—100 lbs. Ship. wt. 103 lbs. **\$16.50 Dn., \$12 Mo. Cash \$163.00**

Merion Bluegrass Seeder \$3⁸⁹

For even distribution of Merion and other fine seed. You can sow as little as 1 lb. of Merion Bluegrass per 1,000 sq. ft. Enamelled steel container holds about 1 lb. Size 6x4 in.

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89 GB 2237—Ppd. **\$3.89**



\$1¹⁵ lb.

Covers 300 Sq. Ft.

- **Garden Mark "ALL PURPOSE" Grass Seed** grows anywhere that grass will grow—medium texture lawn will last and last—yet requires only ordinary care.
- Ideal for shady areas exposed to less than 6 hours of full sunlight. Also for sandy or poor soil, slopes, terraces or level areas.
- Over 1½ million seeds per lb., 100% perennial (permanent) grasses.

All Purpose is a select blend of high grade grass varieties carefully chosen for their ability to produce a smart-looking lawn under trying conditions. Makes a dense, deep-rooted turf that is rugged enough for heavy traffic yet requires no more care than ordinary lawns.

One or more of the varieties contained in the mixture will take hold, depending on soil and climate—yet regardless of which variety of grass predominates, your "All Purpose" lawn will be one of which you can be proud.

Contains Illahee Fescue, Merion and Kentucky Bluegrass, Highland (upright) Bentgrass and Chewings Fescue. 1 lb. plants 300 sq. ft. (10 by 30-ft. area); for re-seeding old lawns, 1 lb. plants 600 sq. ft. (20 by 30-ft. area). See "Shipping Notice".

89 GB 6926—1 lb. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 4 oz. . . . **\$1.15**
 89 GB 6927—5 lbs. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz. . . **5.49**
 89 GB 6928 LB—25 lbs. Ship. wt. 26 lbs. . . **24.95**
 89 GB 6929 F—50 lbs. Ship. wt. 52 lbs. . . . **48.50**
 89 GB 6930 F—100 lbs. Ship. wt. 103 lbs. . . **89.00**

Order Larger Quantities of Grass Seed on Wards Easy Terms—Only 10% Down—See Page 50.

Kentucky Bluegrass \$3⁰⁹ 3 lbs.

Withstands summer drought, winter freeze. Deep rooting—takes hard wear. Makes a dense turf. Use 1 lb. for 250 sq. ft. new lawn; 500 sq. ft. for reseeding. See "Ship. Note" below.

89 GB 6902—1 lb. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 3 oz. **\$1.09**
 89 GB 6938—3 lbs. Ship. wt. 3 lbs. 8 oz. . . . **3.09**
 89 GB 6939—15 lbs. Ship. wt. 17 lbs. **14.98**
 89 GB 6940 KB—25 lbs. Ship. wt. 26 lbs. . . . **23.75**
 89 GB 6941 F—50 lbs. Ship. wt. 52 lbs. . . . **45.98**
 89 GB 6942 F—100 lbs. Ship. wt. 103 lbs. . . **87.50**

Domestic Ryegrass. For quick coverage of spots that may require reworking later. Mix with Ky. Bluegrass or Merion Ky. Bluegrass as a nurse crop. Starts quickly, protects slower grasses until established. Dies out in winter—lets desirable grasses take over. Use as winter grass in Southern areas by overseeding on established Bermuda Grass. Use 5 lbs. to 1,000 sq. ft. or 5 lbs. mixed with 15 lbs. of Merion or Kentucky Bluegrass.

89 GB 6901—5 lbs. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz. . . . **95c**

White Clover. For those who want to add White Clover to their favorite mixture. None of Wards Seed Mixtures contain White Clover. Use ¼ oz. for 1 lb. or 4 oz. to 5 lbs. of mixture.

89 GB 6936—¾-Oz. Package. Ship. wt. 1 oz. . . **15c**
 89 GB 6937—4-Oz. Package. Ship. wt. 6 oz. . . **35c**

\$1⁶⁵ lb.

Covers 500 Sq. Ft.

- **Garden Mark "SHOW LAWN" Grass Seed** are guaranteed fresh—warranted clean and disease-free. Full-ripened and sun-cured, fairly bursting with growing energy! Designed to meet your specific need—whether for full sun or shade; areas with heavy traffic; or where you want new beauty and richness. Scientifically germination tested. At least 99% weed free. Each meets Gov. requirements.
- **Garden Mark "SHOW LAWN" for an "ideal" lawn** that grows more luxuriant each year yet needs only ordinary care:
- Contains newest and best grass seed varieties in production, combined with proven favorites.
- Costs less over the years—in greater coverage when seeding, less maintenance, re-seeding and re-working than other mixtures.
- Over 2 million seeds per lb. 100% perennial (permanent) grasses.

"Show Lawn", we believe, is the finest lawn seed you can buy. It is a Merion Bluegrass mixture that will make a luxurious turf free of weeds and matures with richer, ever-deepening beauty. Only perennial (permanent) grasses are included for the ultimate in lawns. Yet it actually will cost you less over the years because you get more coverage when seeding and once it is established, you will put in less time and money re-working than with other mixtures.

Summer heat or winter freeze will not damage your Show Lawn. Shows green in approximately 10 days and matures to its first full beauty in 30 days. Contains over 50% Merion Ky. Bluegrass (used on college football fields and major league baseball parks), plus new Delta Bluegrass, new Pennlawn Fescue and Highland (upright) Bentgrass. 1 lb. plants 500 sq. ft. in new lawns; for re-seeding, 1 lb. plants 1000 sq. ft. See "Ship. Note".

89 GB 6931—1 lb. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 4 oz. **\$1.65**
 89 GB 6932—3 lbs. Ship. wt. 3 lbs. 8 oz. . . . **4.79**
 89 GB 6933 KB—25 lbs. Ship. wt. 26 lbs. . . . **35.95**
 89 GB 6934 F—50 lbs. Ship. wt. 52 lbs. . . . **69.50**
 89 GB 6935 F—100 lbs. Ship. wt. 103 lbs. . . **129.00**

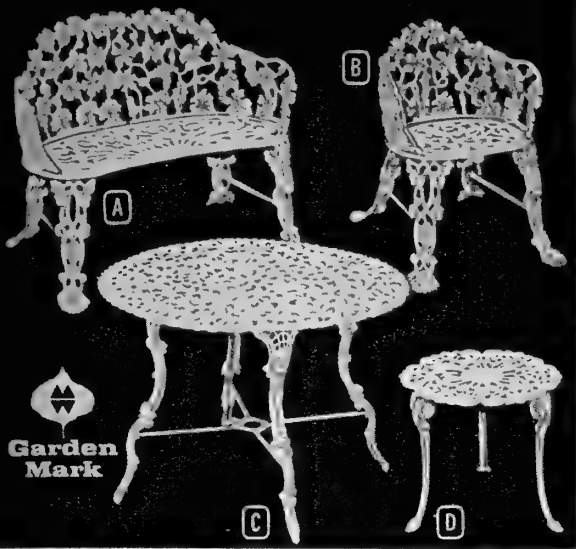
Bermuda Grass 65^C 1 lb. \$2⁹⁵ 5 lbs.

Ideal for sun-drenched Southern lawns. Will stay green when other grasses have turned brown—thrives in full sun. Grows fast to form a tough, even turf that withstands hot, dry weather. Requires a rich, firm seed bed. Will not survive hard freezing. Mix with dry sand and sow 1 lb. for 200 sq. ft. (10 by 20-ft. area) for new lawns—1 lb. for 400 sq. ft. when reseeding. Not available in St. Paul, Denver and Albany territories.

89 GB 6905—1 lb. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 8 oz. . . . **65c**
 89 GB 6906—5 lbs. Ship. wt. 6 lbs. **\$2.95**

IMPORTANT SHIPPING NOTICE

Lawn Seed with Catalog Numbers ending in "F" or "KB" are shipped from Seedsman in Chicago, Illinois, or Rochester, N.Y. You pay transportation from there. 25-lb. size *Mailable*; 50 and 100-lb. sizes are *Not Mailable*—shipped promptly by Freight, Truck or Express.



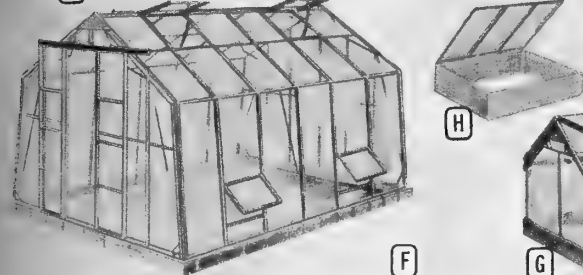
Gracious Southern Style Outdoor Furniture

Cast Iron \$865 to \$2895

A TO D **Garden Mark** Add Charm and Distinction To Your Yard. Authentically reproduced Old South cast-iron furniture for your lawn, porch or patio. Skillfully styled with grape leaf design. High grade silicon iron construction—cast from matched plates to assure uniform quality and clear-cut detail. Table (C) has hole for inserting umbrella. Easy to assemble—nuts and bolts included. White enamel finish. Shipped promptly from Stock.

- (A) **Settee**. 38 in. wide by 28 in. high. \$2.50 Dn. on Terms.
89 GB 3998 R—Ship. wt. 78 lbs. **Not Mailable**...Cash **\$23.45**
- (B) **Arm Chair**. 21 in. wide by 26 in. high.
89 GB 3997 MO—Ship. wt. 50 lbs. **Mailable**..... **16.75**
- (C) **Large Table**. 26 in. high, 39-in. diameter. \$3 Down.
89 GB 4000 R—Ship. wt. 80 lbs. **Not Mailable**...Cash **\$28.95**
- (D) **Coffee Table**. 17 in. high, 20-in. diameter.
89 GB 3999 MO—Ship. wt. 28 lbs. **Mailable**..... **8.65**

E **Lawn and Yard Bench**. For yards, estates, parks. 5 ft. long, 32 in. high overall. Wood slats 2 5/8 x 3/4 in. Moss green synthetic enamel finish. Channel steel 1 1/2 x 1/2 in. legs; 1 1/2 in. braces—all hot-dipped galvanized. With nuts, bolts. Easy to assemble.
89 GB 3996 YO—Ship. wt. 37 lbs.. **\$15.45**



World-Famous Waldorf Greenhouse \$27 to \$48⁵⁰ Down

F Built entirely of rustproof, rotproof, termiteproof Aluminum, double-strength glass—no top-putting needed. Assembled quickly with screwdriver and wrench. Glass and all structural members clearly marked. Complete step-by-step instructions. Corrosion-resistant aluminum alloy. Glass 24 in. wide for maximum sunlight—glazing compound included. Sliding door conserves inside space. Fingertip operation—protection from wind, ice, snow.

Each 6-foot greenhouse is equipped with 1 side vent 24x24 in.; roof vent 23x24 in. (picture above shows 2 6-ft. units combined to form 12-ft. unit). 9 ft. wide at base, 7 1/2 ft. high in center. Ready to erect. Place on foundation or simply anchor to ground with Posts and Brackets below. Shipped by Freight—allow 14 days at Factory. See "Ship. Note".

Catalog No.	Lgth.	Description	Weight	Cash
89GB3975F	6 ft.	Complete unit.....	520 lbs.	\$359.00
89GB3976F	6 ft.	Without door end.....	425 lbs.	299.00
89GB3977F	6 ft.	Without back end.....	435 lbs.	329.00
89GB3981F	6 ft.	Breezeway. No ends	340 lbs.	269.00
89GB3978F	12 ft.	Complete unit.....	885 lbs.	483.50
89GB3979F	12 ft.	Without door end.....	780 lbs.	423.50
89GB3980F	12 ft.	Without back end.....	800 lbs.	453.75
89GB3982F	12 ft.	Breezeway. No ends	700 lbs.	393.95

Automatic Ventilator. Thermostatically controls top ventilator—prevents overheating. See "Ship. Note."

89 GB 3983 K—Ship. wt. 10 lbs. Single opening... **\$54.50**
For two top ventilator openings. Ship. wt. 18 lbs.. **\$6.95**

Anchor Posts and Brackets. For Greenhouse above. Ship. wts. ea., 70 lbs.; 100 lbs. See "Ship. Note."

89 GB 3993 K—Set of 9 Units for 6x9-ft. House.... **\$38.95**
89 GB 3994 K—Set of 13 Units for 9x12-ft. House... **49.00**



New Aluminum Screenhouse for Pleasant Outdoor Living

- Strong, rustproof aluminum frame construction—needs no painting, lasts for years.
- Luxury-styled to give your yard a holiday look and to insure cool, comfortable living.
- Fiber glass screening for greater visibility, longer life—no annoying bugs.

Add Another Room Out-of-Doors For Your Family's Summer. Enjoy a pleasant summer, living in your own yard—eat, entertain and sleep in cool comfort free from insects and mosquitoes. Use as outdoor playhouse for children. Sturdily built for years of enjoyment—not just one season. (9x12-ft. house shown.)

Aluminum structural members—won't rust or rot, never need painting. Panels, frames and braces of 1x1-in. sq. aluminum tubing with aircraft type welded construction. Panels 3x6 1/2 ft. high. Strong, fine-mesh fiber glass screening (gray color matches frame)—dent-proof, has snap-back tension, non-staining, rustproof. Produce much less glare than other type screening. Meets Federal Spec. L-S-137.

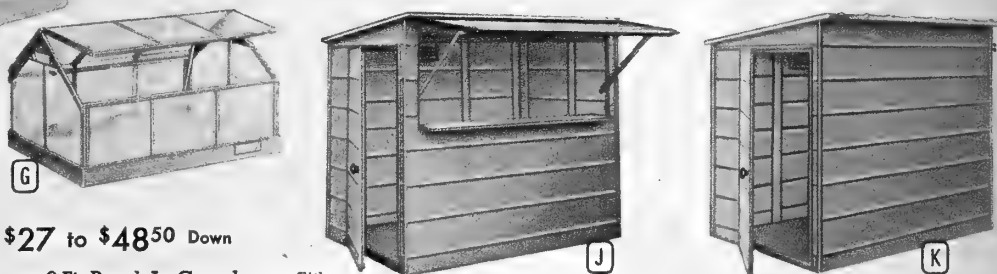
- 1 Adjustable Lighting Fixture**. Fiber glass shade; brass trim. Pre-wired roof strut. Power connector, extra outlet and switch.
89GB4003 K—For 9x12-Ft. House. Ship. wt. 3 lbs. **\$18.50**
89GB4004 K—For 12x12-Ft. House. Wt. 3 lbs. 8 oz. **18.95**
- 2 Aluminum Kick Plates**. Snap on bottom of screen.
89GB3989 K—For 9x12-Ft. House. Wt. 9 lbs. **\$17.95**
89GB4005 K—For 12x12-Ft. House. Ship. wt. 10 lbs. **20.75**

Panels bolt together easily with no gaps—anchoring points where panels join at bottom for securing screenhouse to stone, wood, cement, asphalt or ground flooring. Solid Green heavy canvas roof with scalloped edges and white piping trim. Top rests on roof supports and fastens to top of each panel frame. No-sag, factory-installed door with 3 hinges plus threshold, safety lock (locks from either side), 2 keys. Center 8 1/2 ft. high, sides 6 1/2 ft. Prefabricated—no drilling, cutting. Parts bolt together with hand tools.

89 GB 4001 F—9x12 ft. (108 sq. ft.). Ship. wt. 157 lbs. \$27 Down, \$17 Month. Cash **\$268.95**
89 GB 4002 F—12x12 ft. (144 sq. ft.). Ship. wt. 167 lbs. \$32 Down, \$14.50 Mo. Cash **\$319.95**

- 3 Aluminum Shade Brackets**. Top hanging and bottom tie-down brackets snap on easily. Fit standard basswood or bamboo type shade (order shades separately).
89 GB 3991 K—For 9-Ft. Side. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 12 oz. Bracket Set **\$2.75**
89 GB 3992 K—For 12-Ft. Side. Ship. wt. 2 lbs. Bracket Set **\$3.69**

Screenhouses and Accessories shipped promptly from Factory near Chicago, Ill.



Patio Snack Bar and Storage Building \$142⁵⁰

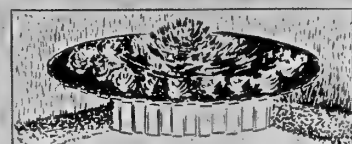
- Side opens up to make canopy—ideal for use as patio, snack bar or as roadside stand—when closed makes 5x7 storage shed!
- Easily assembled—easily dismantled and moved to new locations.

J New All-Steel Multi-Purpose Building. Versatile, portable, 100% steel construction—you can put it together with only a screwdriver and pliers! Simple 5-piece assembly (4 sides and roof). Excellent for use as yard storage building for garden tools, mowers, bicycles, etc. Or with canopy open use as patio snack bar, etc.

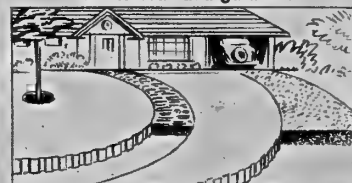
Side-opening canopy locks securely in open or closed position for maximum safety. 12-in. wide hinged wood board swings up when canopy is open to make serving counter. Factory installed door and canopy hung on full length piano-type hinges. Large 37x66 in. high door with garage type key lock door handle and two keys. Inside release prevents anyone being locked in. Door end panel may be installed at either end of building. Awning type louver vents for extra air circulation. All flanges curled—no sharp edges. Leakproof roof slopes from 76 to 71 in.

Baked on prime coat of green paint—repaint any color desired. All necessary nuts, bolts included. Shipped from Factory in Detroit, Mich., allow 7 days plus transit time. Ship. wt. 345 lbs.
89 GB 4008 F—5 by 7-Ft. Size. \$14.50 Down, \$11 Mo. Cash **\$142.50**

K New All-Steel Portable Utility Building. Same features as building above except does not have side opening canopy. Choice of two sizes: 4 by 6 ft. and 5 by 7 ft. Shipped same as above.
89 GB 4006 F—4 x 6 Ft. Ship. wt. 285 lbs. \$10 Dn., \$9 Mo., Cash **\$97.50**
89 GB 4007 F—5 x 7 Ft. Ship. wt. 315 lbs. \$11.50 Down, \$10 Month on Terms. Cash..... **\$114.50**



Use in any shape around flower beds and gardens.



Use around walks and driveways to "tailor" your lawn.

Lawn Edging \$498

- The original "No See" grass barrier. Guaranteed for 15 years against failure due to rusting in the soil.
- Forms barrier against spreading grass—does not interfere with mowing—saves hours of trimming.

Take a second glance the next time you see an outstanding garden with flower beds and shrub borders—you'll probably find "No See" quietly doing the job. "No See" forms a permanent, inconspicuous barrier against spreading grass roots—insures a tailored look without long hours of trimming.

Installed in soil flush with surface, holds grass vertically around edges for faster, easier mowing. Use around trees, shrubs, sidewalks and driveways. Arrange in any geometric or curved design, in straight lines or in circles.

"No See" Galvanized Steel Edging. Made of heavily galvanized, corrugated steel with spring-like temper. Two-foot sections, 3 $\frac{3}{8}$ in. high, overlap at ends; joined with metal clips. Choice of package of 20 two-foot strips with connecting clips, or 40 foot connected coil.

89 GBP 2252 M—20 two-ft. strips. Postpaid.....\$4.98

89 GBP 2256 M—40-ft. connected coil. Postpaid..... 4.98

Garden Mark New Aluminum Lawn Edging. Rustproof—lasts for years and years. Rolled safety edge at top and bottom. Easy to cut with shears. 40-ft. rolls.

89 GB 2254 M—4 in. high. Ship. wt. 3 lbs. 4 oz.... Roll \$3.59

89 GB 2255 M—6 in. high. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz.... Roll 5.25

Garden Mark

Sudbury Soil Test Kits \$198 to \$2995



DeLuxe Professional Kit. Makes 200 tests—widely used by commercial growers and greenhouses. 89 GBP 2179 K—Postpaid...\$29.95

Horticultural Kit. Contains one-third as much solution as DeLuxe Kit. 89 GBP 2178 M—Postpaid...\$15.95

Jr. Professional Kit: Makes 50 individual tests. Ideal for truck gardeners, smaller scale gardeners. 89 GBP 2177—Postpaid.....\$6.98



Wonder-Brel. New Gibberellic acid solution promotes earlier flowering and faster growth—gives amazing results on house and garden plants. Use on African Violets, Geraniums, etc. 89 GB 2286—2 oz. Makes 1 qt. solution. Ship. wt. 4 oz.....59c

Take the guesswork out of gardening—enjoy more flowers and vegetables from properly fertilized soil. Analyze soil, determine degree of acidity and Nitrogen-Phosphorus-Potash content. Takes only a few minutes. Instruction book tells how much fertilizer to apply and how to change popular brands to suit your need. DeLuxe Kit and Refills shipped promptly from Factory near Boston, Mass., others from Stock.

Home Gardener Kit. Makes 20 tests. For gardeners with limited areas. 89 GBP 2176—Postpaid.....\$3.98

Acidity Test Kit. 2-minute test shows degree of soil sweetness or acidity. 89 GBP 2175—Postpaid.....\$1.98

Refills for Kits. Nitrogen 2 or 3, Phosphorus 4 or 5, Potash 6 or 7, or Lime. State name of refill wanted. Postpaid. 89 GBP 2180 K—2-oz. bottle.....\$1.35 89 GBP 2181 K—6-oz. bottle..... 2.50

Ross Root Feeder With 12 Cartridges \$549

A Simply attach to your garden hose and plunge into soil near roots of plant, (as pictured at right). Slip fertilizer cartridge into chamber. Water passing through cartridge dissolves nutrients to form a solution. Precision built with 28-in. perforated shaft and corrosion-proof zinc alloy valve assembly. Length overall 34 in. Transparent plastic cartridge chamber. Postpaid.

89 GBP 2269 M—Root Feeder and one box of Nutrient Fertilizer Cartridges *8-16-8.....\$5.49

89 GBP 2401—*8-16-8 Nutrient Cartridges. General Purpose fertilizer. Postpaid.....12 for 89c

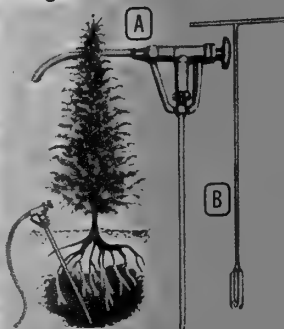
89 GBP 2402—*10-20-20 Acid Type Fertilizer. For evergreens, azaleas, camellias. Pstpd. 12 for 89c

89 GBP 2403—*9-46-15 Starter Fertilizer. High in phosphorus. Postpaid.....12 for 89c

89 GBP 2404—*15-25-10 Rose Food Cartridges. Encourages more abundant bloom. Pstpd. 12 for 89c

89 GBP 2405—*5-35-10 Plant Food with Iron deficiency treatment. Postpaid.....12 for \$1.39

***Asterisk indicates Nitrogen-Phosphorus-Potash content—3 elements most needed by plants and most commonly lacking in soil. Nitrogen helps develop leaf and stem; Phosphorus produces an abundant bloom; Potash stimulates root growth and improves stem and leaf growth.**



B Tree Feeding Auger.

Most effective hand method for feeding trees and shrubs. Steel with two 2x8-in. blades. 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ -in. length overall. 14-in. handle. Drill deep holes around drip-line of branches and fill cavities with fertilizer. Postpaid.

89 GBP 2275 M....\$3.98

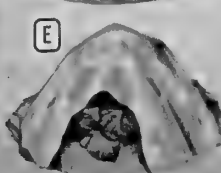
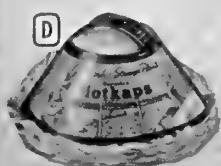
"Miniature Greenhouse" Plant Covers \$195 5 ft.

C Prolong growing season—fit right over rowcrops to protect tender plants in spring; late crops in the fall. Use on vegetable or flower gardens in spring and fall. Ideal for emergency protection against early fall frosts, to extend flowering and harvest period. Easy to use. Preformed wire wickets hold plastic sheet in place. Special clamps keep built-in ventilators open.

89 GB 2248—Covers 5-ft. row, 12 in. wide, 12 in. high. Wt. 2 lbs.. \$1.95

89GB2249—Covers 25-ft. row, 12 in. wide, 12 in. high. Wt. 3 lbs. 8 oz. 4.95

89GB2250 M—Covers 25-ft. row; 24 in. wide, 18 in. high. Wt. 6 lbs. 7.50



Use Hotkaps and Setters for Early Planting

D E Plant as soon as ground can be worked by protecting young plants with Hotkaps (D). "Glass-tex" paper cones (E) are semi-transparent, light, strong, weatherproof. 6 in. high, 11-in. diam. Ppd.

Catalog No.	Number of Hotkaps	Price
89 GBP 2212	20 plus Cardboard Setter	95c
89 GBP 2213	100 plus Fireboard Setter	\$3.45
89 GBP 2214 M	250 plus Fireboard Setter	6.50
89 GBP 2215 MB	1,000 Hotkaps only	19.95
89 GBP 2216 R	5,000 Hotkaps only	99.00

Hotkaps Setters (not shown). Fiber for home gardener; heavy steel for commercial operation. Postpaid.

89 GBP 2210—Fiberboard Setter.....Each 20c

89 GBP 2211—Steel Setter.....Each \$1.95

Strawberry Pyramid \$995

F Provides an abundance of cleaner, more accessible fruit in about one-third the space usually required. Easy to water and maintain. Use for flowers and vegetables, too. Ideal where space is limited. Rust, corrosion-resistant sections of 6-in. high galvanized, corrugated metal. 76 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diam. at base; remaining rings 53 $\frac{1}{2}$ and 30 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches in diam. with 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch planting area between.

Holds 50 plants 8 to 12 inches apart. Clips and instructions included. See Page 63 for several excellent Strawberry varieties.

89 GBP 2253 M—Postpaid.....Each \$9.95



Evergreen Food 85c 5 lbs.



G & O Tree and Shrub Food. Helps plants to become established after transplanting. Provides added nourishment for young Evergreens. *9-7-4 content. Use 2 cups around base of small trees. Directions on bag for larger trees. Ship. wts. ea. 5 lbs. 8 oz., 11 lbs.

89 GB 2439—5 lbs. 85c
89 GB 2440 M—10 Lbs. \$1.45

G & O Rose Food 85c 5 lbs.



An "Organic" Fertilizer. For luxuriant, early bloom and root development—contains dried blood, meat tannage, bone, fish and trace elements. *7-8-5 content. Use one cup per bush in early spring for best results. Ship. wts. 5 lbs. 8 oz.; 11 lbs.

89 GB 2435—5 Lbs. 85c
89 GB 2436 M—10 lbs. \$1.45

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Gardening Aids

New ... Choose from Nationally-Known Products at Wards Typical Low Prices. Specially selected and priced to fit your varying lawn and garden needs.

Acid Food 85c 5 lbs.

G & O Azalea and Camellia Fertilizer. Balanced formula for Camellias, Azaleas, Rhododendrons, Blueberries, Evergreens, etc. ... for all acid-loving plants. *3-20-3 content.



Designed to give added beauty and strength to plants. Use 1 cup 3 times during growing season per plant for most effective results. Use 2 tablespoons for each potted plant. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz.

89GB2444-5 Lbs. 85c

Tomato Food 85c 5 lbs.

G & O Tomato Fertilizer. Most effective food ever developed for achieving maximum tomato growth. Plants bear more and larger fruit. Ideal for producing sturdier, more luxuriant vines and a more abundant bloom. *3-12-13 content. 5 lbs. feeds 16 plants 3 times during season.



89 GB 2433—5 Lbs. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz. 85c
89GB2434 M-10 Lbs. Shipping weight 11 lbs. \$1.45

Bulb Food 85c 5 lbs.

G & O Bulbous Plant Food. Perfectly balanced mixture made especially for tulips, gladiolas, daffodils, peonies, etc. ... any bulbous plant. *5-6-15 content—especially high in potash. Use 1 tablespoon for each bulb 3 times during season. Revives soil for maximum bulb and plant growth.



89 GB 2437—5 Lbs. Wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz. 85c
89GB2438 M-10 Lbs. Shipping weight 11 lbs. \$1.45

Begonia Food 75c 5 lbs.

G & O Cotton Seed Meal. Recommended by many of the most successful growers of Tuberous Begonias, Camellias and Azaleas and other acid-loving plants. Use one tablespoon to each 6-in. pot or 3 lbs. to 100 sq. ft. of flower beds. Improves the texture of your soil so plants can assimilate added nourishment of plant foods and produce luxuriant blooms.



89 GB 2431—5 Lbs. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz. 75c
89 GB 2432 M—10 lbs. Ship. wt. 11 lbs. \$1.25



Water Soluble Fertilizers 25c to \$369

G Pow-r Caps. *9-44-14 formula plus vital trace elements; used by professional growers for luxuriant plant growth. Especially fine for African Violets and Gloxinias; promotes abundance of bloom on any flowering plant, indoors or out. 1 capsule makes 1 quart. 12 capsules in a package. Ship. wt. 1 pkg. 6 oz. 89 GB 2400—1 Package. 35c; 3 Packages for ... \$1.00

H RA-PID-GRO. *23-21-17. Provides plants with important elements that promote rapid growth. Use 1 tsp. to 1 qt. water. 89 GB 2415—1 lb. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 6 oz. \$1.29
89 GB 2416—2 lbs. Ship. wt. 2 lbs. 10 oz. 2.49

J ACP Gro-Stuf. *20-20-20. Complete plant food. Contains all of the necessary mineral, hormones and trace elements to produce lush growth. Use 1½ tsp. to 1 gallon water. 89 GB 2386—5 oz. Ship. wt. 9 oz. 49c
89 GB 2387—1 lb. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 4 oz. \$1.19
89 GB 2388—4 lbs. Ship. wt. 4 lbs. 8 oz. 3.69

K Hypoxer. *7-6-19. Completely balanced liquid plant food. Speeds growth and produce strong plants. Reduces shock when transplanting. Will not burn roots or foliage. For house plants or outdoor gardening. 1 lb. makes 100 gallons. 89 GB 2393—3 oz. Ship. wt. 6 oz. 25c
89 GB 2394—7 oz. Ship. wt. 11 oz. 50c
89 GB 2395—1 lb. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 6 oz. \$1.00



Fertilizer Sprayers \$225 and \$235

L Speedo Sprayer. Won't clog or corrode. Nylon mixing head not harmed by chemicals. Polyethylene suction tube and jar gasket. Precision-made to deliver a more uniform spray faster. Fingertip control "On-Off" valve—just place solution in jar, fill with water and attach to hose. Makes 20 gallons of mixed spray. For other Sprayers, see Pages 52 and 53. 89 GB 2993—Ship. wt. 1 lb. 8 oz. \$2.35

M Hozon Liquid Fertilizer Applicator. Siphons any water soluble plant food from pail or tub and applies it at ratio of 1 part solution to 16 parts water. Just connect applicator between faucet and hose and place rubber suction tube in bucket. Use for applying Fertilizers (G) through (K) above. Brass with stainless steel valve and strainer. 89 GB 2282—Ship. wt. 10 oz. \$2.25

* Asterisk indicates Nitrogen-Phosphorus-Potash content—See opposite page for more details.

General Purpose Fertilizers 59c to \$695

N Activo. Turns waste into compost. Place grass and garbage into pit, sprinkle with Activo. No. 2 size activates 400 lbs.; No. 7 size 1300 lbs.; No. 20 size 2 tons. 89 GBP 2476—No. 2 size, Postpaid. \$1.39
89 GBP 2477—No. 7 size, Postpaid. 2.95
89 GBP 2478 M—No. 20 Size, Postpaid. 6.95

P G & O Muriate of Potash. *0-0-60. Stimulates growth, develops rigid stems. Excellent for bulbs and root crops. Use 1 lb. to 200 sq. ft. of soil. 89 GB 2429—5 lbs. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz. 79c
89 GB 2430 M—10 lbs. Ship. wt. 11 lbs. \$1.29

R Aluminum Sulphate. Provides acidity in soil—for acid-loving plants. Use 5 lbs. per 100 sq. ft. 89 GB 2606—5 lbs. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz. 75c

T Alaska Fish Emulsion Fertilizer. 100% organic—all fish content. Won't burn. 1 tablespoon to 1 gal. water. 89 GB 2389—1 Pt. Ship. wt. 2 lbs. \$1.19
89 GB 2390—1 Qt. Ship. wt. 4 lbs. 2.10
89 GB 2391 M—1 Gal. Ship. wt. 15 lbs. 5.95

U G & O Bone Meal. *2-20-0. Will not burn. Use 5 lbs. per 100 sq. ft. Rich in Phosphorous. Excellent for bulbs. 89 GB 2441—5 lbs. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz. 59c
89 GB 2442 M—10 lbs. Ship. wt. 11 lbs. \$1.09
89 GB 2443 MB—25 lbs. Ship. wt. 26 lbs. 2.69

Armour's Vertagreen 10 lbs. \$110

- Only 5½c per lb. in 100-lb. lot
- Easy to apply, by hand or with spreader
- Clean, odorless, pleasant to handle

V *5-10-5. Armour's complete plant food for lawns, flowers, vegetables, shrubs and trees. Use 2 to 4 lbs. per 100 sq. ft. of lawn, same amount for flowers and vegetables. 1 to 2 lbs. per shrub; 1 lb. for each ft. of height, for trees. 89 GB 2376 M—10 lbs. Ship. wt. 11 lbs. \$1.10
89 GB 2377 MB—25 lbs. Ship. wt. 27 lbs. 1.75
89 GB 2378 MO—50 lbs. Ship. wt. 52 lbs. 2.75
Save on freight; buy two 50-lb. bags for 5.25

W Cattle or Sheep Manure. Kiln dried, pulverized. Use 10 lbs. per 100 sq. ft. Ship. wts. 51, 26, 51 lbs. Save freight—buy 2 50-lb. bags. Not available in Denver territory. 89 GB 2454 R—Cattle Manure, 50-lb. Bag \$2.19; 2 for \$4.15
89 GB 2455 R—Sheep Manure. 25-lb. Bag 1.25
89 GB 2456 R—Sheep Manure, 50-lb. Bag \$2.15, 2 for 4.10

X Peat Moss. Air dried, neutral type. Good mulch and soil builder. Lightens heavy soil, helps sandy soil retain moisture. Finely screened. Ready to use. No soaking. 89 GB 2554—5 qts. Ship. wt. 3 to 4 lbs. Each 59c
89 GB 2555 MB—2 bu. Ship. wt. 35 to 40 lbs. Each \$2.09
89 GB 2556 R—4½ bu. Bag. Ship. wt. 70 to 80 lbs. Each \$3.69; Save freight by buying 2 bags for \$6.98



America's "Best Buy" Rotary Mower

TOP-RATED IN '57—NOW, COMPLETELY RESTYLED AND BETTER THAN EVER!



21-inch Power Propelled \$129.50

- Manual clutch lever conveniently located on handle (1).
- New conveniently located single lever engine control (see 2)—simply rotate for "Start," "Fast," "Slow," "Stop."
- All advanced New Garden Mark features (3 to 6) at left.
- Ease-O-Matic Clutch (7) controls drive—push handle down to stop—raise to normal position, mower drives itself.

Garden Mark Quality. Completely Restyled and Engineered for 1958, yet retains all the top quality and features which last year won it top ratings by two different independent research organizations. Bright new, streamlined—accented by lustrous Gold and contrasting White colors with shiny chrome trim. Ease-O-Matic clutch (see 7) gives you rear wheel drive with all the convenience of a front wheel drive mower. You can swivel the mower in free wheeling on turns by pushing handle down, yet you retain the advantage of rear wheel traction where front wheels can't touch ground—when going up grades or terraces.

Easy-Adjust Wheels (see 3. at left) for 4 cutting heights— $\frac{7}{8}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, $2\frac{1}{8}$ and $2\frac{3}{4}$ in. No need to remove wheels—just move control knob. Inset left side wheels (4) for extra close trim next to buildings, walks, etc. Staggered wheels (5) won't scalp lawn. Easy-stow handle (6) stores upright.

Powered by Briggs & Stratton 4-cycle $2\frac{3}{4}$ -HP engine with automatic recoil starter. Quiet low-tone muffler. Completely enclosed drive and mechanism. Semi-pneumatic tires have self-cleaning tread for improved traction. Chromed hub caps. Sloped front housing—easy to use under low branches. Free leaf mulcher. Shipped promptly from Stock by Freight or Truck. Act. wt. 79 lbs. Ship. wt. 94 lbs. 89 GB 12R—\$13 Down, \$10 Month. Cash \$129.50

Wards Guarantee to have parts available for any Mower for at least 10 years after purchase.



New 21-In. Power-Propelled Mower with Electric Starter. Same advanced features as Mower above plus new electric starter unit—just plug extension cord into any household outlet (see at left). Act. wt. 84 lbs. Ship. wt. 99 lbs. \$15.50 Down, \$11 month.

89 GB 13R—\$15.50 Down, \$11 Month. Cash \$154.50



New Power-Propelled 20-in. Reel Mower

Garden Mark First reel mower ever offered with a Choke-A-Matic carburetor putting all engine controls on the handle! View at right shows matching controls—(8) clutch which engages and disengages power from reel and wheels and (9) single lever engine control with "Start," "Fast," "Slow" and "Stop" positions.

Ideal for finest lawns—pulls itself—all you do is guide it. Bright Gold and White colors with chrome trim. Cutting height adjusts from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 in. Rugged frame: 5 heat-treated crucible steel blade double riveted to 4 spiders, 6-in. diam. reel; Timken roller bearings. Floating shockproof bed knife and removable high carbon steel blade. Cast-iron wheels, 10 by 1.75 semi-pneumatic tires. Easy-stow handle stands upright for storage. Briggs & Stratton $1\frac{3}{4}$ -HP engine with automatic recoil starter. 4-section hardwood rollers; hub caps. Act. wt. 110 lbs. Ship. wt. 120 lbs. Shipped promptly from Stock by Freight or Truck. 89 GB 101 R—\$12 Down, \$10 Month. Cash \$119.50

Nylon Starter Cord. Ship. wt. 2 oz. 89GB327—For any mower with rope starter. 35¢

Power Grass Catcher. For power mowers 18 to 21 in. wide. White canvas, steel bottom. 89 GB 347 MO—Ship. wt. 4 lbs. \$2.49

Grass Catcher. For hand mowers 14 to 18 in. wide. Heavy striped canvas; galvanized bottom. 89 GB 346 M—Ship. wt. 3 lbs. 8 oz. \$1.75

Gasoline Can. Welded steel with flexible spout, strainer and vent control. Red enamel finish. $\frac{1}{4}$ -pt. oil measure container on 1-Gal. size; $\frac{1}{2}$ -pt. on $2\frac{1}{2}$ -Gal. 89 GB 348—1-Gal. Size. Ship. wt. 3 lbs. \$2.25 89 GB 349— $2\frac{1}{2}$ -Gal. Size. Ship. wt. 4 lbs. 2.75

Garden Mark Best Quality 17-In. Hand Mower. Extra strong streamlined frame with new "Hi-Lo" feature—allows height cut adjustment from $\frac{1}{2}$ to $3\frac{1}{2}$ in., gives you an extra inch of cut in standard 16-in. frame. Wedge type bed knife. 5 blades, 4 spiders. Enclosed gears. Ball bearing reel, oilite bearing wheel, roller. 10-in. wheel with semi-pneumatic tires. Gold and White colors; chromed hub caps, shrub bar. 89 GB 201MO—Ship. wt. 40 lbs. Mailable. \$27.50



19-In. Rotary Mower

- Completely restyled for extra quality strength and beauty.
- Single lever engine control (see view above) has "Start," "Fast," "Slow" and "Stop" positions all on one control.
- Automatic recoil starter—rewinds after each start.
- Nationally-known $2\frac{1}{4}$ -HP Briggs & Stratton 4-cycle engine.

Cuts wide, clean 19-in. path—ideal for medium size lawns. Similar to 21-in. Power-Propelled Mower above, except wheels not power driven. Has same outstanding features shown above in inset views (3), (4), (5) and (6). New streamlined design, with bright Gold and White colors and chrome trim. New oversize chromed wing nuts easily adjust cutting heights to $\frac{7}{8}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, $2\frac{1}{8}$ or $2\frac{3}{4}$ in.

1-piece die-cast aluminum frame. Blower type blade cuts grass clipping evenly, discharges through front. Sloping design housing slides easily under low branches. Semi-pneumatic tires. Free floating easy-stow handle—stores upright. Quiet low-tone muffler. Chromed hub caps. Free leaf mulcher included. Shipped promptly from Stock by Freight or Truck. Act. wt. 62 lbs. 89GB1R—Ship. wt. 73 lbs. \$9 Dn., \$8 Mo. on Terms. Cash \$89.50

Garden Mark 21-In. Rotary Mower. Same as above except cuts extra wide 21-in. path—ideal for larger size lawns. Powered by big $2\frac{3}{4}$ -HP Briggs & Stratton 4-cycle engine. Act. wt. 68 lbs. Ship. wt. 79 lbs. Shipped promptly from Stock by Freight or Truck.

22 WARDS CKSDFB2

89 GB 2 R—\$10 Down, \$9 Mo. on Terms. See Page 50. Cash \$99.50

Why Pay for an Extra Engine?

TILL OR MOW WITH SAME QUICK-CHANGE POWER UNIT

Complete Mower
\$119.50

Complete Tiller
\$137.50

Tiller-Mower Combination
\$181.50
ONLY \$18.50 DOWN
\$12 MONTHLY

- Fastest, easiest change-over yet devised—takes less than 10 seconds to switch attachments, no tools required. Attractive gold and white finish.
- Self-centering pins guide units into place.
- Quick, easy starting—clutch disengages Mower blade or Tiller tines, takes load off engine.

Save Money! Get Outstanding Performance from New 3-HP Engine Plus Benefits of Two Separate Tools

A B C **Garden Mark New Mower-Tiller Combination.** Features a 3-HP Power Unit especially designed for quick, easy change-over to Mower or Tiller without tools. New cone and cup type clutch eliminates belts—disengages Mower blade or Tiller tines for easy starting.

A **3-HP Power Unit.** New, extra-powerful, quick-starting vertical shaft 3-HP 4-cycle Clinton air-cooled engine. New large diameter rewind starter that reduces pulling effort. Clutch and throttle controls on handlebar.

B **21-In. Rotary Mower Unit.** Cuts extra-wide 21-in. path. Suction lift blade cuts even path. Easy adjust feature lets you change cutting height simply by moving knobs (one for each wheel) to desired positions—adjusts to 1¼, 1½, 2½ and 3 in. Die cast aluminum frame. Wheels staggered to prevent scalping. (Not power driven.) Semi-pneumatic tires. Leaf mulcher included.

C **14-In. Rotary Tiller Unit.** Once started along row, Tiller tends to pull itself forward—you merely guide. Sturdy frame. Two wheels with semi-pneumatic tires. Newly designed self-sharpening 12½-in. outer diam. tines; special shape makes quick work of toughest soil. Swinging tailpiece for easy maneuvering. Worm gear reduction drive. See Extension Tines at right.

Complete Outfit: Includes Power Unit (A), Mower (B) and Tiller (C). With this outfit you can prepare seed beds for garden or lawn, cultivate, mow grass and weeds and mulch leaves. Ship. wt. 170 lbs.

89 GB 1315 R—\$18.50 Down, \$12 Monthly.....or Cash \$181.50

Mower and Power Unit. Includes Mower (B) and Power Unit (A).

89 GB 1318 R—Ship. wt. 104 lbs. \$12 Down, \$10 Monthly.....Cash \$119.50

Tiller and Power Unit. Includes Tiller (C) and Power Unit (A).

89 GB 1314 R—Ship. wt. 127 lbs. \$14 Down, \$11 Monthly.....Cash \$137.50

Mower Unit Only. Mower as shown in (B) without the Power Unit.

89 GB 1316 R—Ship. wt. 52 lbs. \$5 Down, \$5 Monthly.....Cash \$48.95

Tiller Unit Only. Tiller as shown in (C) without Power Unit.

89 GB 1319 R—Ship. wt. 75 lbs. \$7 Down, \$7 Monthly.....Cash \$66.95

6-In. Extension Tines. Increase 14-in. tilling width to 20 in.

89 GB 1297 M—Ship. wt. 12 lbs. Include in credit order.....\$7.50

Electric Tiller \$37.95

3-HP Rotary Tiller

D **Lightweight** (only 11 lbs.), efficient—can be handled easily by anyone, even a child. Powerful rotation of rugged alloy steel tines does excellent tilling, cultivating jobs. Keeps gardens weed free. Cuts 6 in. deep, 3½ to 10 in. wide. GE 110-volt, 60-cycle AC motor—measures about 4½ by 6 in. UL listed. See handy attachments listed below. \$4 Down.

89 GB 1305 M—Wt. 14 lbs...Cash \$37.95

E **Lawn Trimmer.** Rotary, suction lift blade cuts 7-in. swath along walks around trees. Trims hedges.

89 GB 1306—Ship. wt. 2 lbs.....\$9.50

F **New Lawn Edger.** Tooth disc turns at high speed to keep lawn edges neat. Makes narrow cut 1 in. deep.

89 GB 1311—Ship. wt. 3 lbs. 8 oz....\$9.50

G **Floor Polisher.** Twin 5-in. brushes clean, wax and polish 11½-in. path. 2 buffing pads, 2 steel wool pads incl.

89 GB 1307—Ship. wt. 7 lbs.....\$28.50

H **Arbor Drill.** With key chuck; takes drills up to ¾-in. shank. Operates efficiently at 1500 R.P.M.

89 GB 1308—Ship. wt. 1 lb.....\$9.50

100-Ft. Extension Cord Set. Two 16-ga. copper wires, With 11-in. metal reel.

83 GB 1276 L—Ship. wt. 9 lbs.....\$7.79

J **Garden Mark Heavy-Duty Tiller.** with Extra Quality Features.

New, modern design, tills full 22-in. width. Knife-type, non-clogging tines thoroughly break up the soil to leave a moisture holding mulch for better, healthier plants and vegetables. Specially heat treated tines. Guaranteed against breakage. Lightweight and compact. Attractive new gold and white colors.

Its uses are many; you can cultivate, renovate lawns, turn in lime and fertilizer, power compost, stir litter in hen houses—use for truck farm, greenhouse or nursery work, etc. Make money with your Tiller by doing custom work.

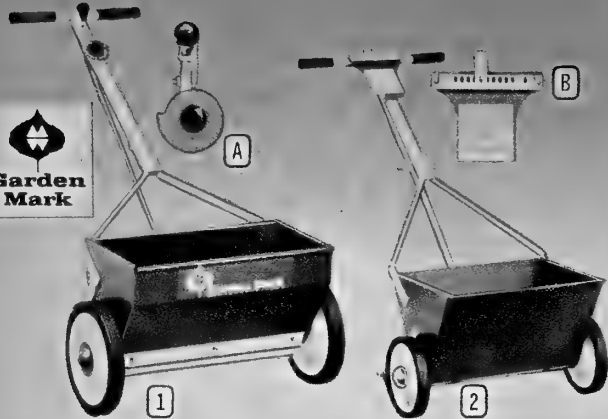
Powered by new, 3-HP engine. Quick-starting, 4-cycle air-cooled. New cast-iron flywheel for greater lugging power. Handlebars adjust from 32 to 38 in. high. 2 wheels with semi-pneumatic 10x1.75 rubber tires. Foolproof idler-type clutch and throttle controls on handlebar. Oil, dust tight cast-iron gear housing. Depth control bar swings for easy handling.

89 GB 1313 R—Ship. wt. 155 lbs. Only \$13 Down, \$10 Monthly.....Cash \$129.95

Extension Tines. Increase width to 34 in.

89 FB 1397 M—Ship. wt. 18 lbs....\$11.75





New! "Extra Value" Spreaders \$6⁴⁹ and \$10²⁹

1 Garden Mark Heavy Duty Spreader. New fingertip control (see A above) has accurate 34-setting dial spread from "finest" to "wide open". Gives uniform, "no waste" coverage. Shut-off handle locks in place, instantly shuts off—no waste on turns or stops. Spreads path 20 in. wide—holds 60 lbs. dry fertilizer. "Zig-zag" action agitator—staggered teeth and large hopper give uniform, no-waste coverage. 20x10¹/₄x10³/₄ in. heavy gauge steel hopper. Rust-resistant agitator and shut-off plate. Copper and White enamel finish. Channel steel legs and steel handles has rubber grips. 10x1.75 semi-pneumatic tires.

89 GB 1080 MO—Nylon bearings. Ship. wt. 26 lbs. Mailable..\$10.29

2 Garden Mark Quality. Economy Size spreader is ideal for smaller areas. New flow control dial (see B above) has 10 settings. Spreads path 16 in. wide—holds 30 lbs. dry fertilizer.

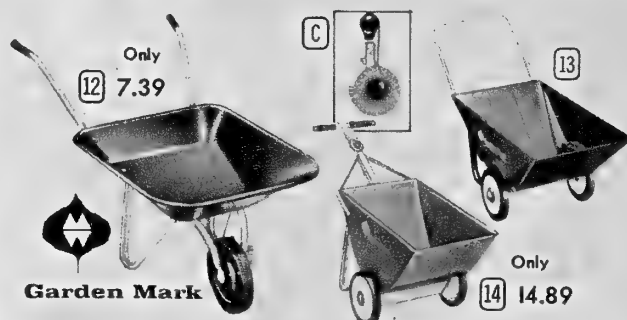
Large agitator and standard steel shut-off plate plated to resist rust and corrosion. 7-in. semi-pneumatic tires. "T" type tubular steel handle, rubber grips. Tubular steel legs. Green and White baked-on enamel finish. 16x11¹/₂x8³/₄-in. hopper.

89 GB 1075 M—Ship. wt. 18 lbs. Mailable.....Only \$6.49

Economy Priced Barrow

12 Garden Mark 3-cu. foot heaping full. Square nose adds balance to barrow, helps prevent tipping with heavy loads. 24¹/₂x31¹/₂-in. leakproof steel tray. Lightweight for easy handling. Perfect for light duty work in garden or around the home. 10x1.75 semi-pneumatic tire. Oilite bearing steel wheel. Tubular steel handles. Wide-spread legs for better balance. Green with white trim. Shipped unassembled. Not Mail.

89 GB 1114 R—Wt. 25 lbs. \$7.39



DeLuxe Garden Carts \$7⁹⁸ and \$14⁸⁹

13 Garden Mark Extra large 4-cu. ft. capacity. 35x21x13¹/₂-in. leakproof steel construction. Graphite bearings, recessed wheels for easy handling. 10x1.50 semi-pneumatic tires. Cart rides level with ground when moving, balances load. Copper bronze, white.

89 GB 1100 R—Ship. wt. 29 lbs. Not Mail.....\$7.98

14 Garden Mark 2-in-1 Spreader Cart. 3¹/₂ cu. ft. capacity. For hauling, plate covers spreader opening; just fold back cover plate for spreading. Spreader control conveniently located at handle grip (see C at left). 34 settings give automatic, uniform coverage flow control. 10x1.50 semi-pneumatic tires. Copper bronze and white enamel finish. Shipped unassembled.

89 GB 1106 R—Ship. wt. 35 lbs. Not Mailable...\$14.89



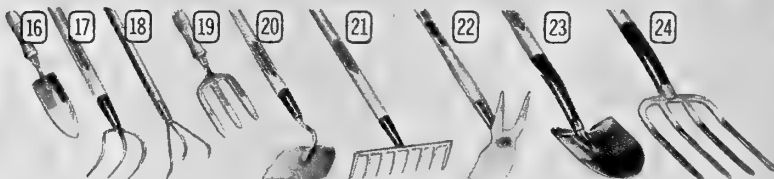
Tool Tree ... Only \$14⁹⁵

15 Genuine True Temper "Tool Tree". Just about everything you need right beside you, ready to use! Carrying shaft easily placed in the soil—move from spot to spot as you progress. 5 forged tools snap on easily to either golf club shaft or short handle. Complete outfit includes trowel; cultivator; digging fork; digger and weeder; hoe—each built to withstand hardest use. Postpaid.

89 GBP 890 M—Tool Tree...\$14.95

16 Transplanting Trowel. Multi-purpose tool—for use in garden, window box, flower bed, etc. Strong, well-balanced—easy to handle. Forged steel head, hardwood handle with lacquer finish. 6-in. blade, 2¹/₈ in. wide, 4¹/₄-in. handle.

89 GB 880—Ship. wt. 8 oz.....65c



Women's Lightweight Garden Tools 65c to \$14⁹⁵

17 Cultivator. Strong, well balanced. Forged steel head. 1-pc. shank, tines. 3¹/₈ in. wide. 12-in. hardwood handle.

89 GB 879 M—Ship. wt. 8 oz.....65c

18 Cultivator. A choice hand tool for close, careful work. 3 forged steel, 4-in. tines—48-in. handle.

89 GB 1680 M—Wt. 1 lb. 11 oz.\$2.29

19 Spading Fork. Sturdy, perfectly balanced. Forged steel head. 4¹/₄-in. hardwood handle, clear lacquer finish. 3 in. tines.

89 GB 882—Ship. wt. 8 oz.....65c

20 Garden Hoe Lightweight. Forged steel blade 6x2³/₄ in. Shank pattern. 48-in. handle.

89 GB 1632 M—Wt. 1 lb. 2 oz.\$2.09

21 Women's Garden Rake—Lightweight. Forged steel 8-in. head shank. 48-in. handle. 8 teeth.

89 GB 1654 M—Wt. 1 lb. 8 oz..\$1.65

22 2-Prong Weeding Hoe. Good Quality. Steel blade 3¹/₈ in. wide, 9 in. long. With 52-in. handle. Mail.

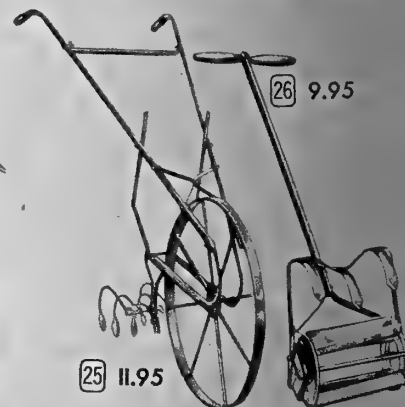
89 GB 1630 M—Wt. 2 lbs. 8 oz..\$1.29

23 Women's Floral Shovel. Perfect for light digging. Forged steel 5³/₈x7⁷/₈-in. blade. 40-in. handle.

89 GB 1825 M—Wt. 2 lbs. 8 oz..\$2.69

24 Garden Mark Heavy Pattern Spading Fork. Four 10³/₄-in. diamond back forged tines, metal tubular ferrule. 48-in. "D" handle.

89 GB 1691M—Ship. wt. 5 lbs.\$3.19



High Wheel Cultivator \$11⁹⁵

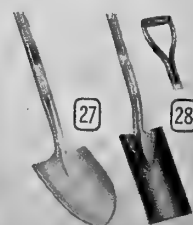
25 Overdrive. No wobble or side-sway. 24-in. wheel runs straight and true on two smooth-rolling ball bearings. Over-the-axle handles lessen "dead-weight", increase leverage. Adjustable steel handles, rubber grips. Includes 5-tooth weeder, turning and hilling plow, reversible shovel and wrench. Mailable.

89 GB 1770 YO—Ship. wt. 23 lbs.\$11.95

26 Rotary Garden Mulcher. Works 8 to 10 times faster than ordinary hoe, and is easier to use. Mulches as it weeds. Eight 10-in. steel rotor blades penetrate soil, crumbling surface crust and weeds.

Keen-edged, reversible bottom knife slices through soil and cuts weed roots off below surface. Slightly pitched knife draws rotor into ground about 1¹/₂ in. For deeper cultivation use three 7¹/₂-in. shovels. For small furrows use single shovel. Mailable.

89 GB 1750 Y—Ship. wt. 21 lbs...\$9.95



Garden Spade \$3⁵⁹

28 Work-saving tool does the job in half the time. Strong carbon steel blade with strap-type back and turned step. Selected Ash "D" grip handle 26¹/₂ in. long. Square point head 7¹/₂x12 in. long. Rust-resistant long-lasting finish. Guaranteed against defects in materials for one year. Ship. wt. 5 lbs.

89 GB 1859 MO—Mail...\$3.59

All Purpose Shovel \$3¹⁹

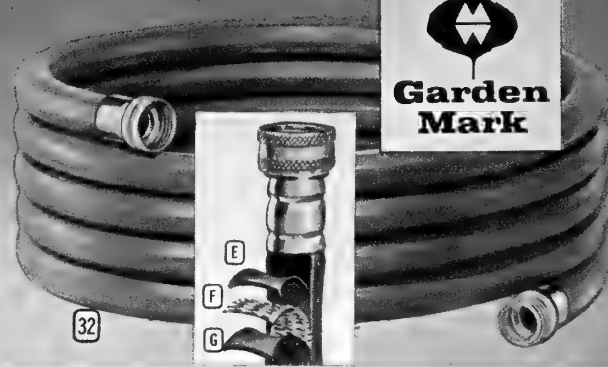
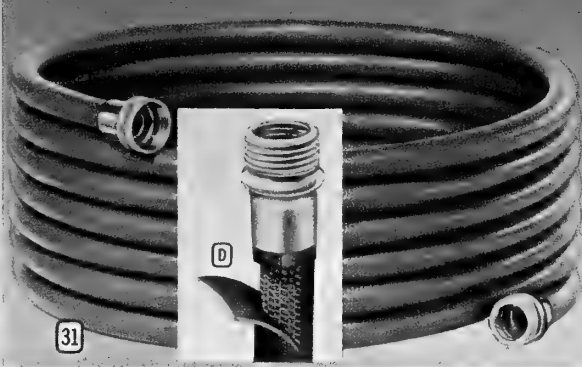
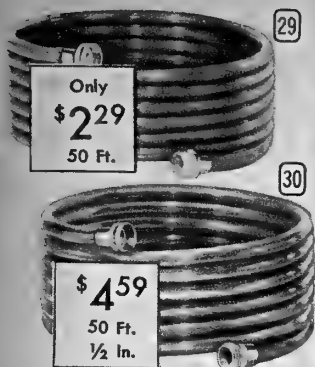
27 Lightweight Aluminum. Ideal for all purpose clean-up and household use. Aluminum alloy blade 11¹/₄ by 12¹/₂ in.; has steel wear strip on back for added life, extra strength. Smooth ash handle is fire hardened for maximum strength.

"D" grip handle 32 in. long. Mail.

89 GB 1834 MO—Wt. 3 lbs.\$3.19

EASY TERMS

Get all your Garden Tools now—it takes only an order of \$20 or more to open your account. See full details on Page 50.



Lightweight, Flexible Plastic Hose \$1.69 to \$6.39

Best Quality Heavy Duty Rubber Hose \$3.89 to \$9.69

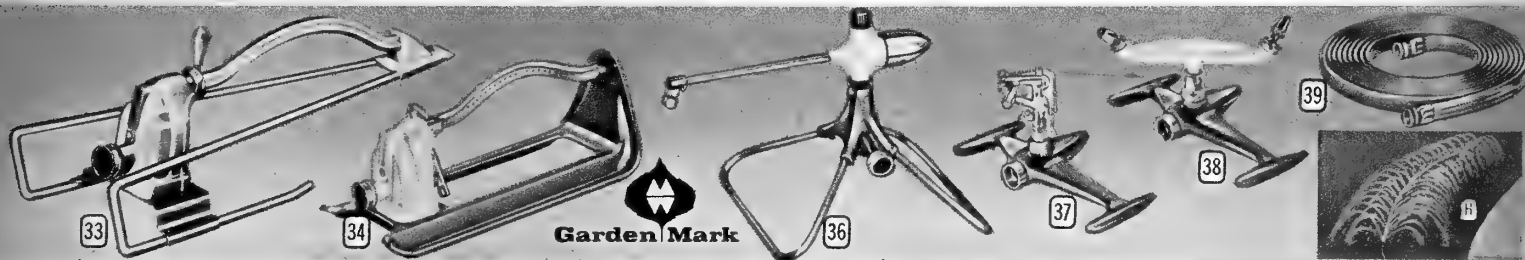
29 Garden Mark Economy Priced 7/16-In. Hose. Resists mildew and rot—won't crack or peel. Not affected by heat or cold. Green plastic construction, ribbed for added strength. Withstands 7 times ordinary water pressure—guaranteed 5 Years (see at right). Full-flow brass couplings. Ship. wts. 2½, 4½ lbs. *Mail. State length.*
89 GB 500 M—25 ft. \$1.69; 50 ft. \$2.29

30 Garden Mark 1/2-In. Transparent Plastic Hose. Guaranteed 10 Years.* Ideal for average size lawns. Stays resilient, flexible. Won't scar or crack. High resistance to oil, sun, weather. Extruded construction—no seams. Withstands 8 times ordinary water pressure. Full-flow nickel plated brass couplings. Green color. *Mail. State length.* (*See Guarantee at right).
89 GB 501 M—25-ft. length. Wt. 3 lbs. 8 oz. \$2.89
50 ft. Wt. 5½ lbs. \$4.59; 75 ft. Wt. 8½ lbs. 6.39

31 Garden Mark 1/2-In. Reinforced Plastic Hose. Guaranteed 10 Years*. Heavy-duty 3-layer construction. Finest low temperature pure plastic inner and outer layers plus nylon knit reinforcement (see D above). So convenient you can use a shut-off nozzle without danger of pressure damage.
Extremely lightweight—resists kinking and curling. Built to withstand 10 times ordinary city water pressure—up to 500 lbs. per sq. in. Full flow nickel plated brass couplings. Opaque green plastic. *Mail.* (*See Guarantee at right.) *State length.*
89 GB 515 M—25-ft. Wt. 2½ lbs. 8 oz. \$2.89
50-ft. length. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz. 4.69
75-ft. length. Ship. wt. 7 lbs. 12 oz. 6.69

32 Garden Mark 3/8-In. Red Rubber Hose. Guaranteed 10 Years!* Extremely flexible—bends easily to any shape—even in cold weather, yet won't kink. Stays resilient even under roughest use! Highly resistant to effects of sun, oil and abrasion—actually will cost less over the years due to its long life. Sturdy, long lasting 3-layer vulcanized construction: (E) seamless rubber inner tubing, 3/8 in. inside diameter; (F) center layer of tightly braided tough rayon cord—same as used in finest auto tires; (G) ribbed rubber outer layer.
Withstands 9 times ordinary city water pressure, up to 450 lbs. per sq. in. Delivers 17 gal. water per min. Full flow rustproof, nickel plated brass couplings for standard hose fittings. (*See Guarantee.) *State length. Mail.*
89 GB 555 M—25-ft. length. Ship. wt. 6 lbs. \$3.89
50-ft. length. Ship. wt. 12 lbs. \$6.69; 75-ft. length. Ship. wt. 17 lbs. 9.69

GUARANTEE. Wards hose will provide years of satisfactory service for number of years stated if given ordinary care and used for the purpose intended. If any Ward hose fails to give you the service stated, we will replace it, charging you only for the service you have received.



Low Pressure Oscillating Sprinklers \$6.79 to \$11.50

New Sprinkler Sprays "Square" or Circle up to 48 Ft. \$12.50

- Operate as efficiently at low pressure as at normal pressure
- Convenient control knob—easily changes spraying pattern

33 Garden Mark Best Quality. Reach right into the corners—adjustable back and forth motion lets one side absorb water while the other side is saturated. Adjust to spray one side only. Built-in filter traps all dirt—eliminates cleaning plugged jets that cause uneven water distribution. Housing and bearings are absolutely corrosion-proof. Solid aluminum sled-type runners protect turf. Precision construction for long, trouble-free use. Copper Bronze, White.
89 GB 645—Covers 40x50-ft. area. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. *Mail.* \$8.29
89 GB 650—Covers 45x55-ft. area. Ship. wt. 6 lbs. *Mail.* 11.50

34 Garden Mark Oscillating Sprinkler. Like (33) except has fingertip screw adjustment; steel sled-type wraparound runners.
89 GB 640—*Mail.* Sprays 40x50-ft. area. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. \$6.79

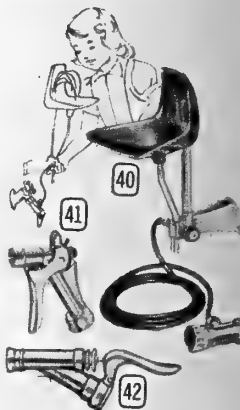
35 Hose Reel. Mounts on faucet. Takes 200-ft. plastic or 100-ft. rubber hose. Brass faucet included replaces present faucet. Attaches directly to water pipe. Simply spin reel to wind hose. Bronze finish.
89 GB 709 MO—Ship. wt. 11 lbs. *Mailable.* \$6.39

36 Just twist knob for a square pattern—puts water where it belongs, on the lawn—walks stay dry. Exclusive rotation governor control on tip permits a perfect square—also sprays circle. High arc spray up to 48 ft. Operates at low back pressure to save on water bills.
Copper Bronze and White with chrome plated brass sprinkler arm and governor; satin alum. base. Durable die cast base and spinner.
89 GB 600—11 x 11 x 11¼ in. high. Ship. wt. 4 lbs. \$12.50

37 Garden Mark Impulse-Type Sprinkler. Fingertip adjustment for any need—small to large areas; any degree to a full circle—fine spray or steady stream. Covers 76-ft. diam. area at 7.4 gal. per min. Brass head. Jet-type runners won't mar lawn. 7 in. high. Ship. wt. 4 lbs.
89 GB 625—Copper Bronze, White. Min. pressure 20 lbs. per sq. in. \$7.69

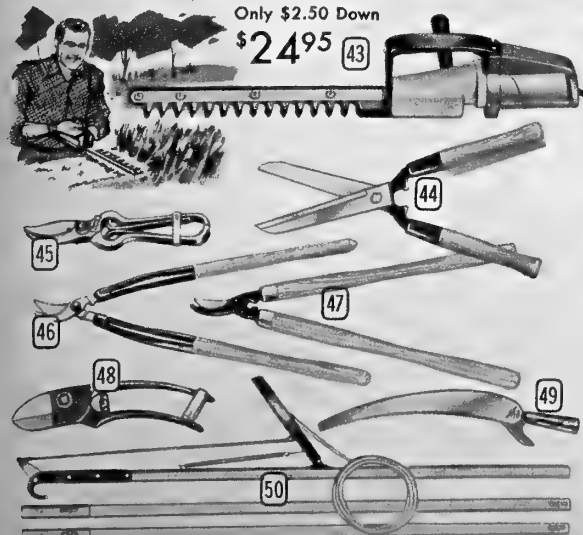
38 Garden Mark Twin Nozzle Sprinkler. Adjusts for spray or stream—covers 48-ft. diam. area at rate of 5 gal. per min. Chrome plated brass nozzles. Twin jet-type runners. Brass bearings.
89 GB 615—Copper Bronze and White. 6¼ in. high. Ship. wt. 3 lbs. \$5.89

39 3-Tube Sprinkler-Soaker. Does 2 jobs—tiny holes give rain-like spray (see H above) for sprinkling or soaking. Tough, green plastic resists sun—won't rot. Sprays 25-ft. area. *State length.* Wts. 2 lbs., 3 lbs.
89 GB 572—25-ft. length. \$2.19; 50-ft. length. \$3.39



Trimmers, Shears and Pruners \$1.79 to \$24.95

Drinking Fountain



43 Garden Mark 12-In. Electric Hedge Trimmer. Sickle-type 12-in. steel blade. Insulated shock-proof handle, side grip.
89 GB 958 M—110-volt motor. Toggle switch. Wt. 5 lbs. \$5 Mo. Cash \$24.95

44 Garden Mark Hedge Shears. 8½-in. blades of high-carbon forged steel. Serrated lower blade keeps branches from slipping.
89 GB 956—Patented bolt assures proper adjustment. Wt. 2 lbs. 8 oz. \$3.79

45 Garden Mark Hand Pruner. Reiser pattern. Curved steel blade.
89 GB 1007—8½ in. long. Malleable iron handles. Wt. 1 lb. 4 oz. \$2.49

46 Garden Mark Lopping Shears. Offset handle for close quarters. Cutlery steel blade. Long tubular steel bent ferrules.
89 GB 1027 M—22½ in. wood handle. Ship. wt. 3 lbs. \$4.79

47 Economy Shears. Good Quality. Hardened steel blade and hook.
89 GB 1025 M—18-in. handle. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 8 oz. \$2.59

48 Garden Mark Anvil Pruner. Quick-cutting. Tempered steel blade.
89 GB 1006—8 in. long. Die-cast alloy handles, anvil. Wt. 1 lb. \$1.79

49 Pole Pruning Saw. 15-in. adjustable steel blade. 21¼ in. long.
89 GB 1055—Socket for mounting on pole (not incl.) Wt. 2 lbs. \$2.98
89 GB 1056 M—8-ft. pole for (49) above. Ship. wt. 2 lbs. 1.29

50 Extension Pruner. Steel blade cuts 1-in. branches. Three 4-ft. sections.
89 GB 1010 M—Arm has blade-rod, tension ring. Wt. 7 lbs. *Mail.* \$5.79

40 Garden Mark Attach to side of house. (See view above.) "T" connection permits separate use of sill cock. 10-ft. connecting plastic hose. Die-cast solid zinc. Wt. 1½ lbs.
89 GB 685 \$4.69

41 Garden Mark New Automatic Hose Nozzle. Adjustable spray for desired water flow. Handy shut-off. Chrome finish. Ship. wt. 8 oz.
89 GB 679 \$1.39

42 Cast Brass Nozzle. Spring prevents back spray. Adjustable spray. Brass finish.
89 GB 681—Wt. 9 oz. 88c



Tree Planting for Year 'Round Interest

Adapt it for your yard, and enjoy a succession of color interest all year. Bloom begins with the Redbud Trees, (1); continues with a pair of Purple Plum Trees (2) and Hopa Crab tree (3) whose flowers are followed by fruits. Purple Plum Foliage is nice contrast. A Sugar Maple Tree (4) adds fall color, and Evergreens (5) and (6) are for all year loveliness.



Tree Group for a Big Spring Show

Put the emphasis on spring and arrange this group to meet your own needs. Bechtel Crab (1) is wide spreading for an open area and will bloom with Lilacs and Tulips. A pair of Pink Dogwoods (2) should be near the house where you can enjoy their early bloom. Magnolia Soulangeana (3), deserves a place on the lawn. The Sunburst Locust (4) will add a bright touch to your garden picture.

Get Colorful Effects at Low Cost

USE FLOWERING TREES FOR PARKWAY, DRIVEWAY OR SCREEN PLANTING

You can enjoy the brilliantly colorful bloom of these trees in spring; some have colored fruits that form in summer and last through fall; some have beautiful branching habits that will add charm to your winter garden. They are ideal trees for the smallest city lot, and are extremely effective on large grounds. They grow larger than shrubs, but most are smaller than mature shade trees. Most thrive best in full sun. Plant in spring or fall unless otherwise indicated. See Page 6 for Zone Map.

A Mimosa Tree. (*Albizia julibrissin*). Silk Tree. This graceful, beautiful tree is considered to be among the most ornamental for the mild climate. Its fluffy pink flowers are in bloom for several weeks during mid-summer. Its lacy, fern-like, pale green foliage provides just the shade needed for Camellias and Azaleas. May be grown as a low-branching tree or pruned high for parkway planting. Graceful, upright, rapid grower. Hardy only in zones 1 through 5. *Postpaid*.

91 GB 7590—3-3½-ft. size.....3 for \$4.19; Each \$1.49

B Sunburst Locust. (*Gleditsia triacanthos inermis aurea*). A recent introduction. New growth has bright yellow foliage. This gives the tree the appearance of being in flower from early spring through most of the summer. Symmetrical tree with broad pyramidal head. Grows to about 30 ft. Free from thorns. Hardy zones 1 through 8. Plant Pat. 1313. *Postpaid*.

91 GB 5735—3-4-ft. size whip.3 for \$12.75; Each \$4.50

C Pink Flowering Locust, Rose Acacia. (*Robinia hispida*). One of the most handsome of the locust trees. Beautiful foliage and graceful drooping clusters of delicate pink, sweet-pea shaped flowers that appear in late spring. This shrub form grows 6 to 8 ft. tall, but may be pruned to tree form. Hardy in zones 1 through 7. Protect in zone 8. *Shipped Postpaid*.

91 GB 5720—3-4-ft. size.....3 for \$5.40; Each \$1.95

D Purple Fringe. (*Cotinus coggygria*). Also known as "Smoke Tree". In early summer this shrub-like tree becomes a billowy mass of misty purplish-gray flowers. Dense green summer foliage, brilliant yellow and purple fall foliage. Prefers dry sunny location. Grows to 15 ft. Hardy in zones 1 through 8. *Postpaid*.

91 GB 5718—3-4-ft. size.....3 for \$8.15; Each \$2.85

E Redbud. (*Cercis canadensis*). Commonly called Judas Tree. Early in spring thousands of tiny magenta red blossoms cover the branches and trunk. These are followed by beautiful heart-shaped foliage. One of the most hardy of all the profuse flowering trees. Grows to about 20 ft. This is the shrub form, but may be pruned to grow in tree form. Beautiful in its branching habit. Hardy in zones 1 through 7. Requires plenty of water, but needs good drainage. *Postpaid*.

91 GB 5716—3-4-ft. size.....3 for \$6.25; Each \$2.25

F Magnolia Soulangeana. Hardest magnolia for northern gardens. In very early spring its huge, lightly fragrant flowers make it a magnificent sight. Tulip-shaped white flowers usually 6 to 9 inches across, before the leaves appear; outer petals tinted rosy-pink, edged deep purple. Large, shiny foliage. May be allowed to grow as a shrub or trained to tree form. Grows to about 10 ft. Hardy zones 1 through 7; protect in zone 8. Not shipped after May 5th. *Postpaid*.

91 GB 5721—2-3-ft. size.....3 for \$14.95; Each \$5.25

G Magnolia Grandiflora.—The Evergreen Magnolia. Also known as Bull Bay or Great-laurel, and considered to be the finest of all trees for the south. Tall growing (about 60 ft.), with handsome pyramidal form and glossy, deep green foliage. Striking creamy white flowers often 8 inches across. Easy to grow and drought resistant. Hardy to 5°. Recommended for zones 1 through 4. *Shipped Postpaid*.

91 GB 7550—18 to 24-inch size...3 for \$4.98; Each \$1.85

H Newport Purple Leaf Plum. (*Prunus Newport*). One of the most valuable of all the ornamental trees because of the spring-through-fall beauty of its reddish-purple foliage. It is upright in habit, gracefully and beautifully branched, and symmetrical in form. In early spring it produces a profusion of small pink flowers. Hardy in all zones. *Postpaid*.

91 GB 5727—3-4-ft. size.....3 for \$8.25; Each \$2.95

J Mountain Ash. (*Sorbus aucuparia*). Very ornamental in late summer when clusters of bright orange berries gleam from its branches. Grows to about 25 ft. White flowers in spring. Attractive to songbirds. Thrives in part shade. Hardy all zones. *Express Prepaid*.

91 GB 5715—6-8-ft. size.....3 for \$15.75; Each \$5.50

KLM FLOWERING CRABS. (*Malus*). Densely branched trees. Highly prized for their hardiness in all zones; their abundance of brilliant bloom in mid-spring; and because they make easy rapid growth to an ultimate height of about 15 feet. So covered with bloom you can hardly see the branches. Make spreading trees. May be used as individual specimens or in groups. Hardy all zones.

K Hopa Crab. (*Malus ioensis*). One of the best red flowering crabs. Crimson buds open into rose-colored blossoms. Reddish spring foliage becomes dark green. Little jelly apples begin to ripen in June and become more and more brilliant in color, more decorative until the end of summer. Makes an excellent focal point for the small garden where one tree must provide a long season of interest. *Postpaid*.

91 GB 5701—4-6-ft. size.....3 for \$6.75; Each \$2.50

L Bechtel's Crab. (*Malus ioensis plena*). Only flowering crab with true fully double blossoms... thousands of them every spring—each about 2 inches across. Round buds open into light pink, rose-like flowers with a truly delightful fragrance. Does not bear edible fruits. *Shipped Postpaid*.

91 GB 5700—3-4-ft. size.....3 for \$8.25; Each \$2.85

M Almey Crab. (*Malus almey*). This is a new red crab—a beautifully formed tree with large, bright crimson flowers and reddish spring foliage. Scarlet fall fruits remain on the trees until winter. *Postpaid*.

91 GB 5703—4-5-ft. size.....3 for \$10.00; Each \$3.50

Carmin Crabapple. (*Malus atrosanguinea*). (Not pictured). Grows to a height of 20-25 ft. Moundlike and very dense in growing habit. Dark green glossy foliage is considered to be the best of any of the crabs. Large flowers are shaded a delicate carmine to rose-pink. Red fruit. Hardy in zones 1 through 6.

91 GB 5707—4-5-ft. size.....3 for \$8.25; Each \$2.95

N P DOGWOODS. (*Cornus*). Ideally suited to the small garden because they stand crowding; may be planted under large shade trees; provide an abundance of showy flowers in early spring before the leaves appear; have broad, handsome summer foliage that turns brilliant scarlet in fall (if planted in full sun); has bright red fruits that are very attractive to birds; and have horizontal branching that makes them very ornamental in winter. Grow 12 to 15 feet tall. Hardy zones 1 through 7. Plant in sun or shade, and in spring only. *Not Shipped after May 5th*.

(N) White Dogwood. (*C. florida*). The familiar white dogwood that brightens the spring landscape. *Postpaid*.

91 GB 5713—2-3-ft. size.....3 for \$6.45; Each \$2.25

(P) Pink Dogwood. (*C. florida rubra*). A very showy tree with large rose-pink flowers. Trees begin to bloom when quite young. *Shipped Postpaid*.

91 GB 5712—2-3-ft. size.....3 for \$13.50; Each \$4.75

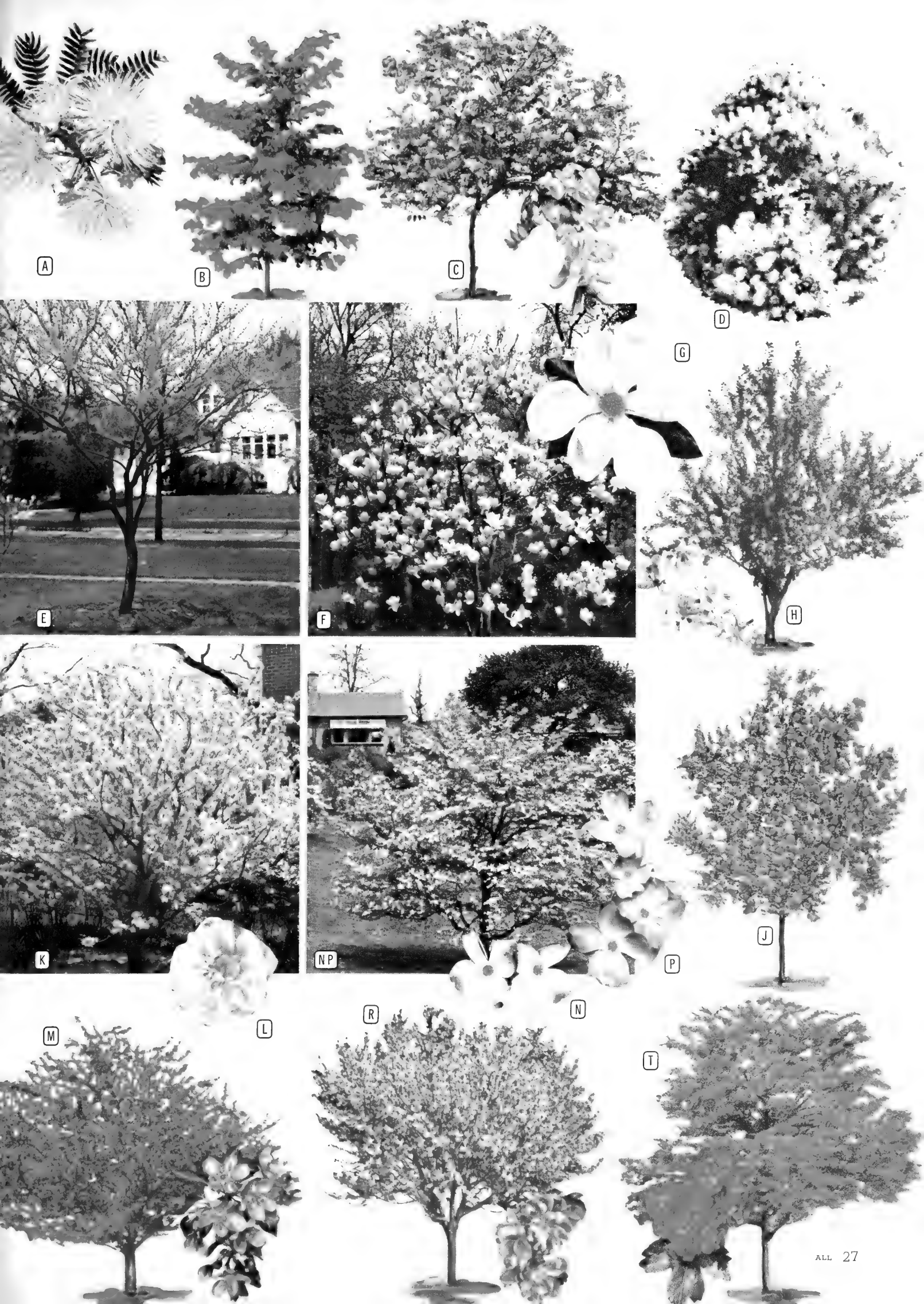
91 GB 5714—Dogwood Collection. 2 White and one Pink Dogwood. *Shipped spring only. Postpd.* 3 for \$8.35

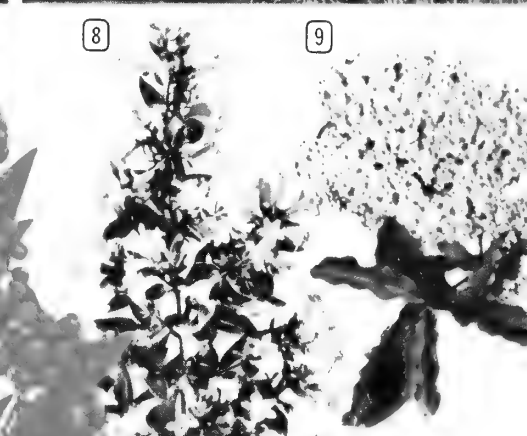
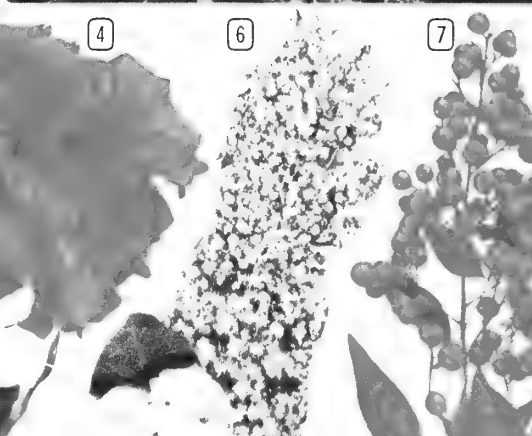
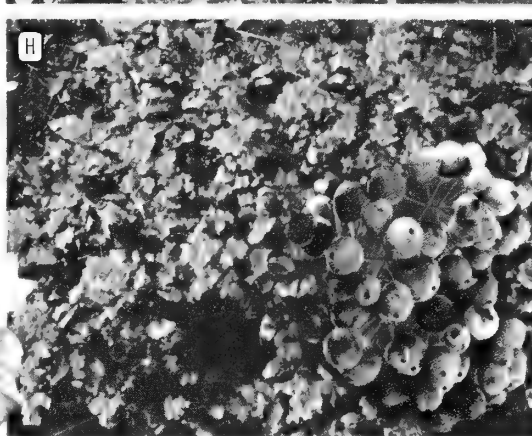
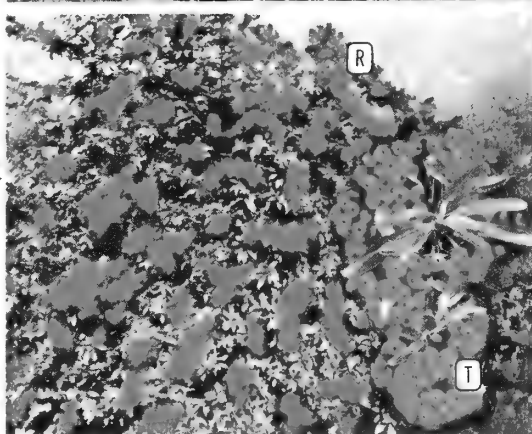
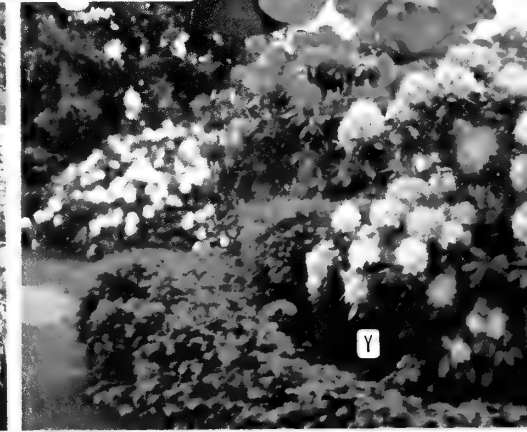
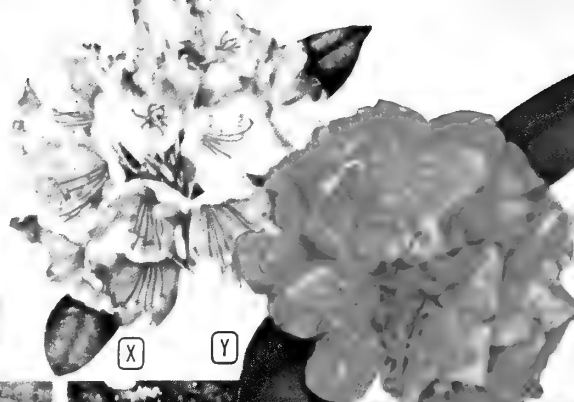
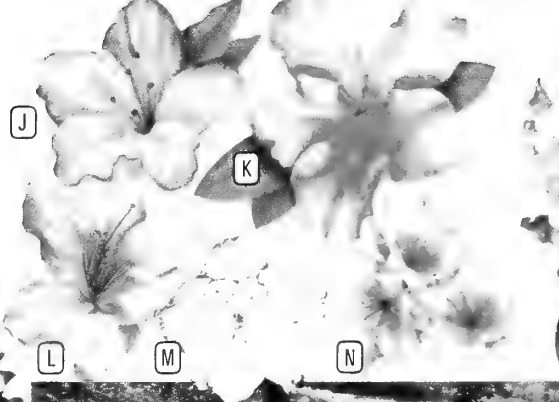
R Double Flowering Peach. (*Camellia Flowering*). (*Prunus persica*). Creates an exceptionally beautiful effect when it blooms in mid-spring. Clusters of large, double, rose-red blossoms. Produces an abundance of bloom at an earlier age than most flowering trees. Does not bear fruit. For most bloom, prune severely immediately after flowering. Grows to about 15 ft. tall. Hardy in zones 1 through 7. Plant in spring only. *Not shipped after May 5th. Postpaid*.

91 GB 5704—4-5-ft. size.....3 for \$7.50; Each \$2.65

T Paul's Scarlet Hawthorne. (*Crataegus oxyacantha pauli*). One of the most choice of all ornamental trees. In late spring it is a spectacle of bright scarlet double flowers in large clusters, followed by small red jelly apples in fall. Grows to about 15 ft. Hardy in zones 1 through 7. Plant in spring only. *Postpaid*.

91 GB 5710—4-5-ft. size.....3 for \$11.40; Each \$3.95





Broadleaf Evergreens for All Year Display

Broadleaf evergreens are considered to be the finest of all shrubs and should be used extensively wherever they can be grown. In addition to colorful flowers or berries they have dark, polished evergreen foliage and are valuable for winter color. They grow best in regions where winters are mild and rainfall plentiful. They require an acid soil and good drainage, and will

be helped by a mulch of peat moss or leaves, and the use of acid type fertilizer. (See Page 21). Several varieties make excellent pot or urn plants in colder climates. Wards ship plants packed according to recently developed methods for safe shipment. Planting instructions included. Plant in spring or fall unless otherwise indicated. See Page 6 for Zone Map.

Camellias Bloom Fall through Spring

9 to 12-inch size \$139

Camellia japonica is considered by many to be the finest landscaping shrub. Exquisite blooms, with lovely colors and delicate waxy texture are a delight in the garden or as cut flowers in winter when other flowers are scarce. Makes a handsome shrub, with glossy evergreen foliage and good form. Long lived and free flowering. Partial shade is best but will stand full sun in cool areas. Thrives in zones 1 through 4. Hardy to 10°.

Collection. Includes 1 each of 4 below. Postpaid. 91 GB 7529—9-12-in. size. 4 for \$4.75

A 91 GB 7526—**Pink Perfection.** One of the most popular and hardy camellias. Double rose-pink blooms from Thanksgiving through spring. Popular for corsages.

B 91 GB 7527—**Professor Sargent.** Abundant deep red, double blooms in mid-season on semi-dwarf plant. Extra good for northern fringe of *Camellia* area.

C 91 GB 7534—**Chandleri Elegans.** One of the largest, finest, and most spectacular of all *Camellias*. Rose-pink flowers splashed with white in many variations.

D 91 GB 7528—**Purple Dawn.** The largest *Camellia*. Deep velvety red. Fast growing.

Prices of Camellias. State Cat. No. and size. 9-12-in. size. Postpaid. Ea. \$1.39; 3 for \$3.75 12-18-in. size. Postpaid. Ea. 1.59; 3 for 4.19

Unnamed Camellia Seedlings. (*C. japonica*). Red, Pink, White, or Variegated. State Color. Shipped Postpaid. 91 GB 7508—9-12-in. size. 3 for \$3.35

Choice Hollies \$149 or \$198

Among the most beautiful and highly favored broadleaves. Thrive best in part shade, except Burford, which grows in sun or shade. Wards ship grafted or cutting-grown plants from berry producing stock. Hollies should be watered freely the first year. For zones 1 through 5. Hardy to 5°.

E **Burford Holly.** (*Cornuta burfordi*). Compact form; profusion of bright red berries that remain for months; and shiny, deep green oval foliage, make this one of the finest hollies. Tall growing, but grows slowly. Drought resistant. Plant in sun or shade. Best in zones 1 through 4. 12-15-in. size.

91 GB 7524—Postpaid. Ea. \$1.98; 3 for \$5.65

F **Roundleaf Holly.** (*Ilex crenata rotundifolia*). A very handsome, dwarf, compact shrub with waxy rounded foliage and black berries. Grows slowly to about 4 ft. and is often as broad as it is tall. Zones 1 through 6. Hardy to 5° below zero. 12-15-in. size.

91 GB 7525—Postpaid. Ea. \$1.49; 3 for \$3.98

G **English (Christmas) Holly.** (*Ilex aquifolium*). Spiny true Holly foliage. Bears heavy crops of bright red berries in fall and winter. Tall growing, but grows slowly and may be clipped to any size. Hardy zones 1 through 5. 12-15-inch size grafted plants. 91 GB 7523—Postpaid. Ea. \$1.98; 3 for \$5.65

Oregon Grape—Ea. \$129

H **Oregon Grape.** (*Mahonia aquifolium*) Lustrous, holly-like foliage is shaded red and green. Yellow spring flower clusters followed by blue berries. Medium-tall. Hardy to 0°. For zones 1 through 6. 10-12-in. size.

91 GB 7575—Postpaid. Ea. \$1.29; 3 for \$3.48

Evergreen Azaleas for Hedge or Border

9-12-inch size—Each \$169

Azaleas (members of the *Rhododendron* family) are one of the most profuse flowering and beautifully colored of all shrubs. Very effective with coniferous evergreens in the foundation planting. Azaleas require at least a few hours of daily sunshine, acid soil, and plenty of water until established, and when in bloom. Best in zones 1 through 5.

Collection of Indica Azaleas. (J, K, and L) The most spectacular. Extremely large flowers. Spreading, dark green foliage. Grow quickly to about 6 ft. Hardy to 18°. 9-12 in. 91 GB 7547—Postpaid. All 3 for \$4.50

Collection of Kurume Azaleas. (M, N, and P). Unexcelled for color. Lower and slower growing than *Indicas* offered, and a little more hardy. Flowers though smaller in size, are so numerous that no leaves can be seen. Hardy down to 10°. 9-12-in. size.

91 GB 7548—Postpaid. All 3 for \$4.50

J 91 GB 7530—**Formosa.** (*Indicum*). Early rose-purple blooms. Finest of its color and one of the easiest to grow. Tall.

K 91 GB 7535—**Pride of Mobile.** (*Indicum*). Bright, watermelon pink with deep crimson markings. Low, bushy shrubs.

L 91 GB 7549—**Lawsal.** (*Indicum*). Clear salmon blooms. One of the best in its color group. Tall, strong grower.

M 91 GB 7542—**Snow.** (*Kurume*). Pure white blooms on dense, compact shrub.

N 91 GB 7541—**Coral Bells.** (*Kurume*). Long lasting, dainty pink flowers. Fine for northern fringe area. Good for forcing.

P 91 GB 7540—**Hinodegiri.** (*Kurume*). Scarlet blooms on broad, low shrub.

Prices of above Azaleas by variety. State Catalog Number. Shipped Postpaid.

9-12-in. size. Each \$1.69; 3 for \$4.75

Pyracantha or Firethorn

12-15-in. size—Ea. \$155

(*Coccinea*). One of the most attractive shrubs in winter because of its masses of brilliantly colored berries. May be grown as a shrub or trained up walls or trellises. Hundreds of tiny white flowers are equally attractive in spring. For sun or part shade.

R 91 GB 7507—**Lalandi.** Faster growing, more hardy, and taller than *Rosedale*. Longer, more slender branches. Orange-red berries. Hardy to 0°. For zones 1 through 5.

T 91 GB 7553—**Rosedale.** Berries are bright red in thick, dense, clusters. Hardy to 5°. For zones 1 through 4.

Prices of above Pyracanthas.

State Catalog Number. Shipped Postpaid. 12-15-in. size. Each \$1.55; 3 for \$4.35

Oleanders 12-18-in. Size—Ea. \$179

U V W **Oleanders.** (*Nerium oleander*). Tall growing. Large flower clusters all summer. Dark green, leathery leaves. Grows and blooms quickly. Hardy to 12°. For zones 1 through 4. Withstands extreme heat. Excellent for urns. Prune deadwood only.

(U) 91 GB 7566—**CHERRY RED.** Double.

(V) 91 GB 7565—**MRS. ROEDING.** Dbl. pink

(W) 91 GB 7567—**SINGLE PURE WHITE.**

Prices of Oleanders. State Cat. No. Postpaid. 12-18-in. size. Each \$1.79; 3 for \$4.95

Rhododendrons Bloom in Late Spring

Catawba Seedlings Ea. \$298

The great clusters of bloom and beautiful large dark green foliage on tall, broad shrubs, make *Rhododendrons* one of the most dramatic broadleaves. Thrive best in part shade with some full sun. Protect from wind. Need acid soil. Hardy zones 1 through 5.

X **Rhododendron Ponticum.** Hardest *Rhododendron*. Lavender or lavender-pink blooms. Spreading, bushy growth. Not as tall growing as *Catawba* below. Seedling plants. Plant develops quickly.

91 GB 7598—No color choice. Postpaid. 9-12-in. size. Each \$2.69; 3 for \$7.79

Y **Catawba Rhododendron Hybrid Seedlings.** (*R. cawbeniense*). Very tall and open growing. One of the most beautiful *Rhododendrons*. Varieties are carefully selected from light pink to deep rose.

91 GB 7578—No color choice. Postpaid. 9-12-in. size. Each \$2.98; 3 for \$8.59

Shrubs for Every Month and Purpose

From \$129 to \$325 Each

1 **Rock Cotoneaster.** (*C. horizontalis*). Very low growing shrub makes excellent ground cover. Pink-white flowers in spring. Tiny round leaves turn bright orange-red in fall. Red fall berries. Hardy to zero. For zones 1 through 7. 9-12-inch size.

91 GB 7584—Postpaid. Ea. \$1.98; 3 for \$5.65

2 **Daphne Cneorum.** Blooms spring and fall. Dwarf evergreen shrub with dark blue-green foliage and fragrant rose-pink flowers. Hardy to 10° below zero, but needs protection in more severe climates. Plant in full sun and in spring only. 9-12-in. size.

91 GB 5411—Postpaid. Ea. \$3.25; 3 for \$9.45

3 **Hawaiian Hibiscus.** (*H. rosasinensis*). Tall growing. Blooms almost all year. For zones 1 through 3. Hardy to 28°.

(3) 91 GB 7546—**DOUBLE PINK.** Deep pink.

(4) 91 GB 7545—**DOUBLE RED.** Scarlet.

Prices of above Hibiscus.

State Catalog Number. Shipped Postpaid. 9-12-in. size. Each \$1.29; 3 for \$3.55

5 **Gardenia, Mystery.** (*G. jasminoides*). Largest of all gardenias. Fragrant white blooms in spring and fall. Large, handsome, glossy foliage. Hardy to 18° above zero. Best zones 1 through 4. 12-15-inch size.

91 GB 7555—Postpaid. Ea. \$1.29; 3 for \$3.55

6 **Heather**—Not Available.

7 **Nandina** (*N. domestica*). Small foliage is bronzy-red when young, light green in summer, coppery red in winter. Bright red berries in fall if two or more are planted to insure pollination. Medium height. For zones 1 through 4. Hardy to 0°. 15-18-in. size.

91 GB 7502—Postpaid. Ea. \$1.29; 3 for \$3.55

8 **Abelia Grandiflora.** Medium-tall, but may be kept low. Small, bell-shaped pink and white flowers from spring to fall. Shiny, foliage. Plant in sun or part shade. Hardy to zero. Best in zones 1 through 5. 12-18 inch.

91 GB 7500—Postpaid. Ea. \$1.29; 3 for \$3.55

9 **Photinia Glabra.** For background or specimen planting. Very large dark green leaves and some red leaves. New growth is coppery-red. White spring flowers followed by red berries in fall. For zones 1 through 4. Hardy to 5°. 15 to 18-in. size.

91 GB 7573—Postpaid. Ea. \$1.55; 3 for \$4.45

Save this book for Year 'round ordering



Foundation Planting for Cold Climates. Includes one Hicks Yew (Up-right); and two spreading Yew. Same sizes and descriptions as individual listings below. A simple, beautiful planting for sun or shade. Good for north side of house.

91 GB 7250—Shipped Postpaid in Spring or Fall..... All 3 for \$10.50

Doorway Planting. Buy This Group and Save 10%. A pleasing evergreen combination that includes 1 each of Pfitzer Juniper in 12-18-inch size; Mugho Pine in 9-12-inch size; and Pyramidal Arborvitae in 12-18-inch size. Add one Pfitzer and one Arborvitae to make the foundation planting pictured above.

91 GB 7252—Shipped Postpaid in Spring or Fall. All 3 Evergreens for \$7.50

Evergreens for Year-'Round Beauty

(A) TO (F) JUNIPERS. Most useful of all evergreens for planting around homes and small grounds. Include both tall accent and low-growing types. These evergreens withstand extremes of cold and heat as well as exposure to wind and sun. Hardy in all zones except as noted. Prefer open, sunny location and light soil. When grown in heavy soil it may be well to add sand and lime. Plant in spring or fall. *Postpaid*.

(A) Irish Juniper (*Juniperus communis hibernica*). Medium growth—usually 6 to 8 ft. Handsome spire-like form with attractive glossy blue-green foliage. Particularly good for framing doorways or formal plantings. Good accent tree. Somewhat tender in severe climates and should be protected from snow damage and from heavy wind.

91 GB 7212—12-18 in. size. *Postpaid*..... Each \$2.85; 2 for \$5.50

(B) Spiny Greek Juniper (*Juniperus excelsa stricta*). Medium growth—grows 4 to 5 ft. Broad at the bottom, tapering to point at the top. Erect branches. Beautiful blue-green foliage—spiny with sharp points. Slow growing but makes an extremely dense growth in a formal shape that is valuable in landscape planting. Good rock garden or accent plant. May be kept low by trimming to desired height.

91 GB 7214—12-18 in. size. *Postpaid*..... Each \$2.85; 2 for \$5.50

(C) Savin Juniper (*Juniperus sabina*). Low growing—usually about 3 to 4 ft. Semi-upright spreading vase shape. Horizontal branches with dense, dark green foliage. Handsome low foundation plant. Thrives even in city smoke. Hardy zones 1 through 7.

91 GB 7202—12-18 in. size. *Postpaid*..... Each \$2.95; 2 for \$5.50

(D) Pfitzer Juniper (*Juniperus chinensis pfitzeriana*). Low growth—about 3 ft. Spreads to about 6 ft. Frosty gray-green foliage. Long graceful irregular branches. One of the fastest growing, most spectacular evergreens. One of the most important of all evergreens for foundation planting. This variety is particularly useful because it will thrive in sun or part shade. Popular for foreground in group planting. Will stand crowding and the smoke and dust of cities. Easy to trim.

91 GB 7201—12-18-inch size. *Postpaid*..... Each \$3.25; 2 for \$6.00

(E) Creeping Juniper (*Juniperus horizontalis*). Low growing—grows 8 to 10 in. high. Spreads to about 4 ft. long. Long branches radiate from the plant and creep along the ground. Blue-green foliage. Ideal for terrace planting. Particularly suited for planting under low picture windows, for facing tall evergreens, or for foreground planting. Will trail down low walls. Extra hardy. Thrives even in sandy soil.

91 GB 7222—10-12-in. spread. *Postpaid*..... Each \$2.15; 2 for \$3.95

(F) English Juniper (*Juniperus communis*). Grows 6 to 8 ft. Upright pyramidal. Deep green foliage changes to dark blue-green in winter. Will thrive even in dry, rocky places. Size of this evergreen and its growth habits make it an ideal selection for a foundation planting. Hardy zones 1 through 4.

91 GB 7520—12-18-inch size. *Postpaid*..... Each \$1.85; 2 for \$3.10

(G) H) J ARBORVITAE (*Thuja*). Erect branches with sprays of flat, lacy foliage. Stands trimming. Needs full sun, good moisture. Hardy all zones if sheltered from wind. Not for smoky or dusty areas. Plant in spring or fall.

(G) Berckmann's Golden Arborvitae (*Thuja orientalis aurea nana*). Medium growing—usually grows to 6 ft. Bright green compact foliage shading to rich golden colored tips in summer. Retains shape without pruning. Adds touch of unusual color to your evergreen planting. Hardy zones 1 through 6.

91 GB 7216—12-18-in. size. *Postpaid*..... Each \$3.75; 2 for \$6.95

(H) Pyramidal Arborvitae (*Thuja occidentalis pyramidalis*). Tall growing—about 25 ft. Dark green foliage is so compact the tree seems to have solid center. Grows in perfect pyramidal shape and doesn't require pruning. However, this tree may be trimmed and kept to any height, even as a hedge. Fast growing, makes a good size tree in a relatively short time. Beautiful tall accent in landscape planting. Rarely more than 2 ft. in diameter.

91 GB 7213—12-18-in. size. *Postpaid*..... Each \$2.50; 2 for \$4.75

(J) Globe Arborvitae (*Thuja occidentalis*). Usually grows 3 to 5 ft. Attractive natural globe shape. Closely packed erect branches. Sprays of flattened foliage. Trims to almost any size. Shelter from heavy wind.

91 GB 7210—10-12-inch size. *Postpaid*..... Each \$2.25; 2 for \$4.15

(K) L YEWs. (Often called *Taxus*). Beautiful dense foliage is flat, waxy, and glossy; and is rich, deep green in color. Easy to trim. May be pruned to any form. Make ideal hedges. Unsurpassed for foundation planting or as specimen plants. Thrive in almost any soil, but prefer rich, deep, well-drained, loamy soil. Plant in sun, part shade or dense shade. Popular because they are comparatively free from insects and disease. Plant in spring or fall.

(K) Spreading Yew (*Taxus cuspidata*). Usually grows to 3 ft. and spreads to 10 ft. if not trimmed. Can be pruned into a compact form or made into a hedge. Thrives even in rocky soil. Hardy in all zones.

91 GB 7215—10-12-in. size. *Postpaid*..... Each \$3.95; 2 for \$7.40

(L) Hicks Yew (*Taxus media*). Tall growing—grows to 10 ft. Branches point up in columnar form, but can be pruned into different shapes, such as globe, column and hedge. Especially good hedge plant where little space is available. Resists heat. Hardy in zones 1 through 8.

91 GB 7217—12-18-in. size. *Postpaid*..... Each \$3.85; 2 for \$7.25

(M) MUGHO PINE (*Pinus mugo mughus*). Usually grows 2 to 3 ft. Spreads to about 3 ft. Compact ball of long stiff dark green needles. In spring, new growth looks like little candles. Does well in almost any soil. Will grow in partial shade. Hardy in zones 1 through 8. Plant in spring or fall.

91 GB 7207—9-12-inch size. *Postpaid*..... Each \$2.65; 2 for \$4.75

ITALIAN CYPRESS (*Cupressus sempervirens*). (Not pictured). Grows to about 15 ft. Beautiful symmetrical upright tree. Dark green foliage. Thrives best in deep sandy loam. Hardy zones 1 through 4. Plant in spring or fall.

91 GB 7519—12-15-inch size. *Postpaid*..... Each \$1.85; 2 for \$3.10

READ MORE ABOUT WARDS EVERGREENS ON PAGE 32. PICTURES ABOVE AND ON OPPOSITE PAGE SHOW TREES AT MATURITY

Planning Your Planting

Keep your foundation planting simple in color and line with not more than two or three different textures and forms. Choose one or two high points near the door or corners and group lower plants around it. In a corner planting, work outward from the corner. Choose varieties that will remain low for planting under windows. Use some low plants to get a variety of mass, but don't let plantings consist of a jigsaw line. Only healthy, fresh-dug trees are sent. Complete instructions for planting and watering are included with every nursery stock order we ship.

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About Sizes of Wards Evergreens

Pictures above and on Page 32 indicate the shape and form of the trees when mature. When you order from this page or accent evergreens from Page 32, trees will be size stated in description (as measured from ground level to the top) and will look like those pictured at the right. Field grown, 4 to 5 years old, transplanted and root pruned. Larger, fuller, more heavily branched than seedlings on Page 33, and will develop into shapely landscape specimens. When you receive Wards evergreens, the roots will be wrapped in special protective packing, which keeps them fresh for several days. See Guarantee, Page 4.



Doorway Planting for Zones 1 to 7.
Includes three beautiful Junipers:
1 each of Pfitzer Juniper, 12-18 in.;
Creeping Juniper, 10-12 in.; Irish
Juniper, 18-24 in. Save 75c on
group. Shipped Spring or Fall.
91 GB 7253—Postpaid 3 for \$7.50

Foundation Planting for Mild Climates.
Includes 1 Berkman's Golden
Arborvitae, 12-15 in.; and 2 globe
Arborvitae, 9-12 in.; Shipped
Spring or Fall.
91 GB 7255—Postpaid 3 for \$7.50

A IRISH JUNIPER
2.85 Each

B SPINY GREEK JUNIPER
2.85 Each

F ENGLISH JUNIPER
1.85 Each

G GOLDEN ARBORVITAE
3.75 Each

H PYRAMIDAL ARBORVITAE
2.50 Each

J GLOBE ARBORVITAE
2.25 Each

C SAVIN JUNIPER
2.95 Each

L HICKS YEW
3.85 Each

K SPREADING YEW
3.95 Each

D PFITZER JUNIPER
3.25 Each

E CREEPING JUNIPER
2.15 Each

M MUGHO PINE
2.65 Each





A AUSTRIAN PINE
4.50 Each

B RED CEDAR
1.75 Each

C CANADIAN
HEMLOCK
4.50 Each

E NORWAY SPRUCE
1.85 Each

D BLACK HILLS SPRUCE
1.95 Each

F COLORADO SPRUCE
3.35 Each

Plant a Living Christmas Tree

CEDAR, CYPRESS, PINE AND SPRUCE—GROW 25 TO 40 FT. TALL

A Austrian Pine. (*Pinus nigra*). Grows to 40 ft. in height. Fast growing, often 6 to 8 in. a year. Attractive, silvery green foliage; graceful, sweeping branches. Forms a majestic tree that is tolerant to dust, smoke, and salt spray. Best in zones 4 through 9. 91 GB 7208—18 to 24-in. size. Each \$4.50; 2 for \$8.50

B Red Cedar. (*Juniperus virginiana*). Grows to 30 ft. Rapid upright grower, trims to any size or shape. Gray-green foliage turns reddish-purple in fall. Makes a good tall accent in the landscape. Dramatic touch for the corner of a house. Thrives in almost any soil or location. Hardy all zones. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 7203—12-18-inch size. .Ea. \$1.75; 2 for \$3.25

Ponderosa Pine. (*Pinus ponderosa*). (Not pictured, but similar to (A) above). Grows to 30 ft. Best tall pine for south. Grows rapidly after 6 ft. Compact, long dark green needles. Best in zones 1-4. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 7517—12-18-in. size. .Ea. \$1.49; 2 for \$2.79

C Canadian Hemlock (*Tsuga canadensis*). Grows to 40 ft. One of the most beautiful and graceful of all evergreens. Flat, feathery foliage; decorative small cones. May be severely pruned; often used for hedges. 15 to 18-in. size. Best for zones 3 through 7. 91 GB 7238—Each \$4.50.....2 for \$8.50

D Black Hills Spruce. (*Picea glauca densata*). Grows to 30 ft. Green with bluish tint. Compact, symmetrical. Makes a beautiful outdoor Christmas tree. One of the hardiest Spruces. Rapid growing. Thrives in almost any soil. Hardy all zones. Suitable for sea-shore planting or windbreak. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 7205—12-18-inch size. .Ea. \$1.95; 2 for \$3.50

E Norway Spruce. (*Picea abies*). Grows to 35 ft. A perfect pyramidal shape with lustrous dark green foliage. Fast growing. Thrives in almost any soil or location, but does best in moist soil. Lends itself well to lawn planting. May be used as a windbreak. Hardy all zones. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 7209—12-18-in. size....Ea. \$1.85; 2 for \$3.25

F Colorado Spruce. (*Picea pungens*). Grows 25-30 ft. tall. One of the most beautiful evergreens. Bluish-green foliage when mature. Best in moist sandy loam, cool climate. For sun or part shade. Slow growing. Very hardy in all zones. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 7204—12-18-in. size....Ea. \$3.35; 2 for \$6.20

Evergreens on this page may be planted in spring or fall. All Wards Nursery Stock is Shipped *Postpaid* or *Express Prepaid* Direct From Nursery.

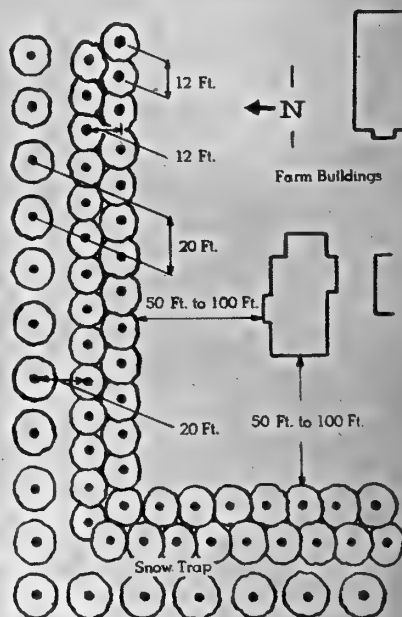
4 Reasons for A Windbreak...

1. Prevent Costly Soil Erosion; Keep Land Productive, Fertile.
2. Protect Driveway from Snow; Makes Winter Cleaning Easier.
3. Protect Buildings from Cold; Save on High Heating Costs.
4. Protect Yard from Hot, Soil-Drying Winds; Summer Heat.

How to Plan Your Windbreak

The location of your windbreak will depend on the direction of prevailing cold or hot winds; normal snow-fall; building, orchards, or crops to be protected. Plant at least three rows of trees, as pictured below, being sure to plant far enough away from buildings to avoid snowdrifts around the buildings. The inside rows, nearest the buildings, should be 12 ft. apart, with the trees 12 ft. apart in the rows. The outside row should be 20 ft. from the inside row, with trees 20 ft. apart in row. For an Evergreen windbreak, plant two rows 20 ft. apart, with trees 20 ft. apart in the rows. The outside row should be 25 ft. from inside rows with trees 25 ft. apart in the row.

Use Windbreak in Your Federal Soil Bank Program. You can set aside as little as two acres of your present cropland for tree planting in the Government Soil Bank Program. The U.S. Dept. of Agriculture will assist by sharing the cost of trees and labor up to 80% and by annual rental on acres set aside for this purpose. Wards Windbreak size trees are easy to plant, and take hold readily. Check your local County Agent for full details on how you can participate in the plan.



Choose Evergreens With Foliage You Admire

LET THIS GUIDE HELP YOU SELECT A COLOR AND TYPE TO COMPLEMENT YOUR HOME

1 Pine. Characterized by long, usually flexible needles. Blue-green or dark green.

2 Spruce. "Christmas tree foliage". Short, stiff needles. Blue-green or dark green.

3 Yew. Beautiful, deep green foliage. Short, flat needles. Excellent in shaded areas.

4 Cypress. Foliage is lacy in appearance. Blue-green or dark green. For mild climates.

5 Juniper. Foliage may be as pictured or needle. Blue- or gray-green or dark green.

6 Arborvitae. Sprays of flattened, scale-like foliage. Bright green or gold-green.





Economy-size Trees for Windbreak or Screen

PLANT FOR PROTECTION FROM WIND AND SNOW OR TO PREVENT SOIL EROSION

Economy Size Trees

These smaller trees are shipped at an earlier stage of development, are not as well branched nor as heavily rooted as trees described on Page 35, but are larger or more fully branched and rooted than seedling trees at right. Their size is between the larger trees on Page 35 and the seedlings at right and they will grow into lovely trees. The difference in price between these and the larger size trees, represents a substantial savings. For a screen, plant trees 6 ft. apart; for a windbreak, plant 12 ft. apart. See "How to Plan a Windbreak" on opposite page. Shipped Postpaid in spring or fall. All are shipped from Nursery. State Catalog Number, Quantity, and size you desire.

SEE DESCRIPTIONS OF TREES ON PAGE 35.

91 GB 5630—Chinese Elm. Shipped Postpaid.
3-4 ft. 5 for \$1.40, 10 for \$2.30, 25 for \$4.50
4-5 ft. 5 for 2.10, 10 for 3.70, 25 for 8.00

91 GB 5634—Soft or Silver Maple. Postpaid.
3-4 ft. 5 for \$2.40, 10 for \$4.50, 25 for \$10.00
4-5 ft. 5 for 3.50, 10 for 6.50, 25 for 14.00

91 GB 5631—Lombardy Poplar Whips. Not branched. Shipped Postpaid.

3-4 ft. 5 for \$1.60, 10 for \$2.50, 25 for \$5.75
4-5 ft. 5 for 2.35, 10 for 4.20, 25 for 9.25

Plan Timber Lots for Profit Black Walnut Seedling Trees

12-18-in. size—Low as 15¢ Each

(*Juglans Nigra*). Invest in timber crop that will grow in value. Common Black Walnut is always a valuable crop for the production of gunstocks and quality furniture. Makes a tall, well formed tree that is excellent for shade or windbreak. May also produce nuts. Hardy zones 1 through 7, but best in zones 4 through 7. Shipped Postpaid in spring or fall. 91 GB 5617—12-18-in. size seedling trees. 25 for \$5.00; 50 for \$8.50; 100 for \$15.00

Shade Tree Seedlings

Many farmers believe that a windbreak for feed lot, barn, and poultry house pays for itself in more milk and eggs. It will also prevent hot winds from sapping moisture from the ground, prevent soil erosion or protect yard, or lane from snow, making them easier to keep clear in winter. Wards ship well-rooted trees. Plant spring or fall except as indicated.

A Chinese Elm. Described on Page 35.

B Lombardy Poplar. Described on Page 35. SOFT MAPLE and AMERICAN ELM described on Pg. 35.

Black Locust (*Robinia pseudoacacia*). Grows to 50 ft. Makes a thorny barrier or hedge row. Drought-resistant. Fine for fence posts. Hardy zones 1-8.

Green Ash (*Fraxinus lanceolata*). Grows rapidly to 40 ft. Thrives even in a dry area. Hardy all zones.

Osage Orange (*Maclura pomifera*). Grows to 30 ft. Makes shrubby fence. Hardy zones 1 through 7.

Russian Olive (*Elaeagnus angustifolia*). Grows to 20 ft. Has a few spines. Hardy all zones.

Prices of Above Seedling Trees Postpaid

Name and Cat. No. State Cat. No., Size	State Size	25 for	50 for	100 for
Chinese Elm 91 GB 5600	12-18 in.	\$1.75	\$3.00	\$5.00
	18-24 in.	2.50	4.50	8.00
	2-3 ft.	3.50	6.50	12.00
Shipped in Spring only.				
Lombardy Poplar 91 GB 5611	2-3 ft.	4.50	8.50	15.00
Soft or Silver Maple 91 GB 5606	18-24 in.	3.75	6.75	12.25
American Elm 91 GB 5603	2-3 ft.	3.00	5.50	10.00
Black Locust 91 GB 5604	12-18 in.	1.50	2.50	4.50
Shipped in Spring only.				
Green Ash 91 GB 5607	18-24 in.	2.75	5.00	9.00
Shipped in Spring only.				
Osage Orange 91 GB 5609	12-18 in.	1.75	2.95	4.95
Shipped in Spring only.				
Russian Olive 91 GB 5618	12-18 in.	3.25	5.50	10.00

Evergreen Tree Seedlings

Have all the advantages given at left, plus thick all-year foliage to provide extra winter protection. Especially good for conservation of heat in cold climates—cuts fuel costs and protects stock. All year foliage adds beauty. These young seedlings are sturdy and well-rooted. Roots are puddled and wrapped in damp moss. Plant spring or fall. Postpaid.

C Norway Spruce. Description on opposite page. Smaller windbreak size is given below.

D American Arborvitae. (*Thuja occidentalis*). Grows to about 25 ft. Makes a bushy pyramidal shape. Excellent as hedge because of its slow growth. Best in cool locations and moist soil. Stands some shade.

Austrian Pine. (*Pinus nigra*). Grows to about 40 ft. Relatively fast growing—usually 6 to 8 inches a year. Good even in smoky city area. Graceful sweeping branches, dark green needles 4 to 6 inches long. Thrives even in poor soil, but needs full sun.

Note: BLACK HILLS SPRUCE, COLORADO SPRUCE, and RED CEDAR are all described on the opposite page. Smaller seedling size is given below.

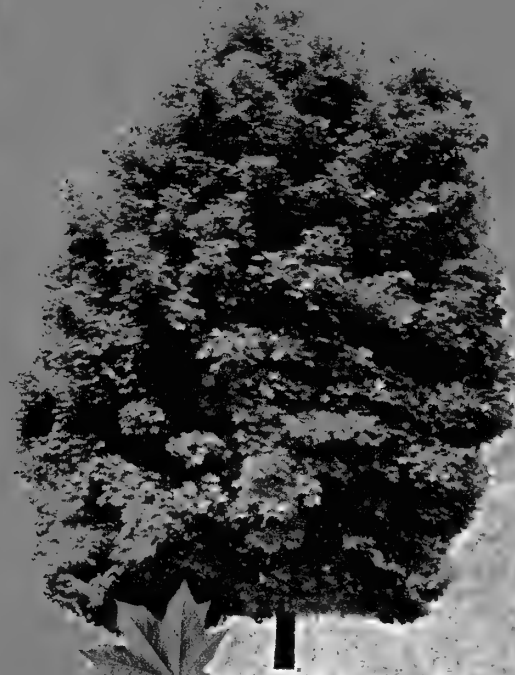
Prices of Above Seedling Trees.

State Catalog No., Size. Shipped Postpaid

Name and Catalog No.	Size	10 for	25 for	50 for	100 for
Norway Spruce 91 GB 7104	6-10 in.	\$2.90	\$6.50	\$11.50	\$21.00
American Arborvitae 91 GB 7109	6-10 in.	3.10	7.25	13.40	22.95
Austrian Pine 91 GB 7102	6-10 in.	3.70	8.95	16.75	31.00
Black Hills Spruce 91 GB 7100	6-10 in.	3.10	7.25	12.95	22.95
Colorado Spruce 91 GB 7103	6-10 in.	4.25	10.00	18.95	36.00
Red Cedar 91 GB 7105	6-10 in.	3.70	8.95	16.75	31.00

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

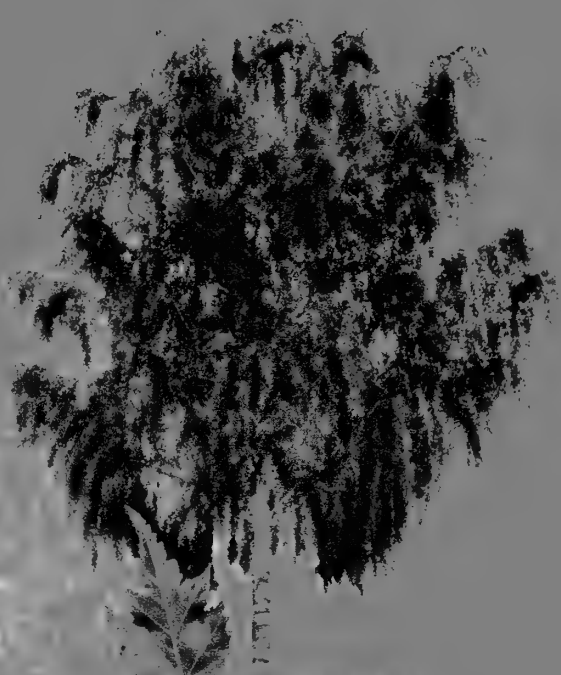
BA WARDS 33



A CRIMSON KING MAPLE
4-5 ft. 4.95 Each



E TULIP TREE
4-5 ft. 3.00 Each



H WEEPING BIRCH
5-6 ft. 4.95 Each



B SOFT MAPLE
6-8 ft. 3.65



C HARD MAPLE
5-6 ft. 4.75



J WEEPING WILLOW
5-6 ft. 2.75 Each

F CLUMP OF WHITE BIRCH
2-3 ft. 1.95 Clump of 4



D PIN OAK
5-6 ft. 5.50



G MORaine LOCUST
5-6 ft. 6.00 Each



K SYCAMORE
6-8 ft. 4.75 Each

Escape from Hot Summer Sun

SHADE TREES DIM TRAFFIC NOISE, INCREASE PROPERTY VALUE

Wards Trees are 2 to 4 Years Old. All are field grown, with Age depending on variety. Each tree is root-pruned for good growth; guaranteed true-to-name variety, disease free.

Well-Rooted, Well-Branching Trees. To promote rapid growth, use Ross Root Feeder, (Page 20) and Nutrient Cartridge Fertilizer. Regular feeding of small trees can double growth rate.

All Wards Trees Guaranteed. See details on Page 4. *Shipped Postpaid or Express Prepaid* in spring or fall except as indicated. *Be sure to give the name of your nearest Express Station.*

(A) Crimson King Maple. (*Acer platanoides schwedleri nigra*.) New Red Maple keeps its deep maroon foliage from early spring to fall. Bark is silvery-gray. Provides dense shade. Ideal for city. Plant Pat. 735. Shipped in spring only. Size listed is whip or lightly branched tree.
91 GB 5822—Hardy in zones 1 through 7.
4-5 ft. *Postpaid*.....Each **\$4.95**, 2 for **\$9.50**

(B) Soft or Silver Maple. (*Acer saccharinum*.) Fastest growing Maple. Leaves silvery underside, yellow in fall. Usually reaches 25 ft. in 10 years.
91 GB 5810—Hardy in zones 1 through 8.
6-8 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **\$3.65**, 2 for **\$7.00**
8-10 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **4.95**, 2 for **9.50**

(C) Hard or Sugar Maple. (*Acer saccharinum*.) Most colorful tree. Brilliant in fall. Sap is source of maple syrup. Long lived even in city.
91 GB 5805—Hardy in all zones.
5-6 ft. *Prepaid*.....Each **\$4.75**, 2 for **\$9.00**
6-8 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **5.95**, 2 for **11.50**

(D) Pin Oak. (*Quercus palustris*.) Pyramidal form. May be late in leafing out, first season, but once established is fastest growing oak. Bristle-tipped, shiny green leaves. Turns scarlet in fall. Often grows to 18 ft. in 10 years.
91 GB 5808—Hardy in all zones.
5-6 ft. *Prepaid*.....Each **\$5.50**, 2 for **\$10.00**
6-8 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **7.75**, 2 for **15.00**

(E) Tulip Tree. (*Liriodendron tulipifera*.) Well formed pyramidal tree. Showy tulip-like flowers of orange-yellow. Large dark green leaves turn vivid yellow in fall. Not shipped after May 1.
91 GB 5817—Hardy in zones 1 through 7.
4-5 ft. *Postpaid*.....Each **\$3.00**, 2 for **\$5.50**

(F) Clump of White Birch. (*Betula*.) Consists of 4 trees to be planted as clump or individually. Grows more beautiful every year because bark turns white as it ages. Yellow fall foliage. Not shipped after May 1. No fall shipments. Prices shown are for bundle of 4 seedling trees.
91 GB 5827—Hardy zones 1 through 8. *Postpaid*.
2-3 ft.Bundle of 4, **\$1.95**, 2 bundles for **\$3.70**

(G) Moraine Locust. (*Gleditsia tricanthos "Moraine"*.) Thornless, seedless, and fast growing. Reaches about 25 ft. in 10 years. Lacy foliage filters light to encourage lawn beneath it. Lets in breezes. Withstands wind and snow damage, imperfect drainage and city conditions. Plant Pat. 836. Shipped in spring only. Size listed is for whip or lightly branched tree.
91 GB 5814—Hardy in zones 1 through 8.
5-6 ft. *Prepaid*.....Each **\$6.00**, 2 for **\$11.65**

(H) Cutleaf Weeping Birch. (*Betula pendula lacinatea*.) One of the most graceful weeping trees. Grows upright. Long, slender weeping branches. Bark changes to white as tree matures. Not shipped after May 1st.
91 GB 5803—Hardy in zones 1 through 8.
5-6 ft. *Prepaid*.....Each **\$4.95**, 2 for **\$9.60**
6-8 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **6.50**, 2 for **12.50**

Fast Growing Trees Best Suited for Quick Shade. If you want shade as quickly as possible, plant Soft Maple, Moraine Locust, Sycamore, Chinese Elm, or the New Hybrid Elm or Augustine Ascending Elm. All are listed elsewhere on this page.

(J) Weeping Willow. (*Salix niobe*.) One of hardiest, most beautiful of weeping willows. Branches droop to ground. New growth is a beautiful yellow. Available to May 1, also in fall.
91 GB 5815—Hardy in all zones.
5-6 ft. *Prepaid*.....Each **\$2.75**, 2 for **\$5.00**
6-8 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **3.50**, 2 for **6.50**

(K) Sycamore. (*Platanus*.) Also known as American Plane Tree. Often grows to 35 ft. in 10 years. Provides shade quickly. Broad round head. Heart-shaped leaves. Ideal for city; tolerant of smoke.
91 GB 5809—Hardy zones 1-7.
6-8 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **\$4.75**, 2 for **\$9.00**

(L) Chinese Elm. (*Ulmus pumila*.) Fast growing, desirable shade tree often 25 ft. high 5 years after planting. Dense head of dark green foliage comes early, lasts well through drought, heat. Long lived.
91 GB 5801—Hardy in all zones.
5-6 ft. *Prepaid*.....Each **\$2.50**, 2 for **\$4.75**
6-8 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **3.50**, 2 for **6.50**
8-10 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **4.75**, 2 for **9.00**

(M) New Hybrid Elm. (*Ulmus hybrid*.) Recently developed, budded on Chinese Elm roots. Faster growing, longer lived than Chinese Elm.
91 GB 5802—Hardy in all zones.
6-8 ft. size. *Prepaid*.....Each **\$5.50**, 2 for **\$10.50**

(N) American Elm. (*Ulmus americana*.) Stately tree of great size, tremendous spread. Vigorous, rapid grower. Long, spreading branches form giant arches over roads, streets. Turn golden yellow in fall. Gray bark. Good background for house. Grows almost anywhere.
91 GB 5800—Hardy in all zones.
5-6 ft. *Prepaid*.....Each **\$2.50**, 2 for **\$4.70**
6-8 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **3.75**, 2 for **6.95**
8-10 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **4.95**, 2 for **9.50**

(P) New Augustine Ascending Elm. Mutation of American Elm. Unusually rapid growth, extreme resistance to disease. Upright branches give tree handsome urn shape. Large leaves are a rich, healthy green. Compact root system. Narrow form allows sun to reach grass around trunk.
91 GB 5806—Hardy in all zones.
6-8 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **\$11.50**, 2 for **\$22.50**

(R) Lombardy Poplar. (*Populus nigra thevestina*.) Valuable for its rapid growth and stately, columnar form. Tapering, vertical branches. Excellent for screen or landscape accent.
91 GB 5804—Hardy in zones 1 through 8.
6-8 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **\$1.75**, 2 for **\$3.15**
8-10 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **2.40**, 2 for **4.30**

Bolleana Poplar. (*Populus alba bolleana*.) (Not Pictured.) Beautiful landscape tree, has shape similar to Lombardy Poplar, though hardier, longer lived. Olive-green bark. Deeply lobed leaves have white facing giving a silvery-flash effect in breeze.
91 GB 5811—Hardy in zones 1 through 8.
6-8 ft. *Prepaid Exp*.....Each **\$5.25**, 2 for **\$9.95**

More Shade Trees Listed on Other Pages. You'll find the following shade trees in this book: Russian Olive, Page 33; Dogwood, Crabapple, Redbud, Page 26; Pecan and Walnut trees, Page 73. These trees are especially fine for ranch-style homes or in places where lower growth habits are desired.



(L) CHINESE ELM
5-6 ft. **2.50** Each

(M) HYBRID ELM
6-8 ft. **5.50** Each



(N) AMERICAN ELM
5-6 ft. **2.50** Each



(P) AUGUSTINE ELM
6-8 ft. **11.50** Each

(R) LOMBARDY POPLAR
6-8 ft. **1.75** Each

FOR PROFESSIONAL EFFECT CHOOSE TREES BEST SUITED TO YOUR PLANTING PURPOSE

Tall Trees for Dramatic Backgrounds	Use Medium Height Trees Near Low-to-the-Ground Houses	High Branching Trees Best for Street Planting	Plant Trees for Bright Fall Color (Y) Yellow; (R) Red	Trees with Long Tap Roots. May be Planted. Near to House.
American Elm	Crimson King Maple	American Elm	Tulip Tree (Y)	Tulip Tree
Tulip Tree	Chinese Elm	Moraine Locust	White Birch (Y)	Pin Oak
Moraine Locust	Pin Oak	Chinese Elm	Hard Maple (Y-R)	Ascending Elm
Sycamore	White Birch	Soft Maple	Soft Maple (Y)	Moraine Locust—
Hard Maple	Weeping Birch	Hybrid Elm	Pin Oak (R)	(12 ft. from House).
Soft Maple	Flowering Trees			
Lombardy Poplar	(See Pg. 26)			

Everything You Need

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EASY AND PLEASANT

Only **\$49⁹⁵** \$5 Down

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- Big 24-in. Brazier With Electric Spit
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- 25-lb. Bag Charcoal for a Perfect Fire
- Handy 18 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch Stainless Steel Tongs

Every Necessity for the Barbecue Chef from the idea for a cookout (in Barbecue Book) to the tongs to lift the deliciously cooked food from the fire!

Brazier Does the Cooking. Electric spit (UL Approved for 110-120 volt, 60 cycle AC) turns meat slowly for perfect barbecuing—or broil meat, make coffee, cook vegetables over CHARCOAL fire. Aluminum clad steel hood reflects heat. Fire separator in steel bowl (guaranteed against burnout) permits building small fire. Draft for easy fire-starting, crank adjusts grill up or down for instant control of heat.

When Food's Ready To Serve roll brazier to table on 7-in. rubber tired wheels. Revolving, chromed grill makes tending and serving easy, comes apart for easy cleaning. Bottom tray stores supplies. You'll use

Cutting Board with 3-hook Tool Rack while cooking and serving. Plastic top resists heat and stains.

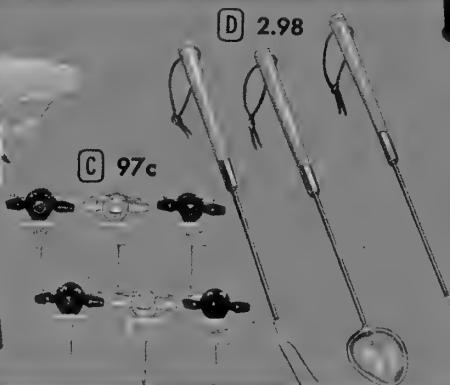
Barbecue Cookbook has tips on everything from building fires to cleaning equipment plus recipes for tasty meats and menus for outdoor meals.

86 GB 1465 YO—Complete Outfit only \$5 Down. Ship. wt. 102 lbs. . . . Cash **\$49.95**

Brazier Only \$22.47

Same Quality-Built brazier above without motorized spit, cutting board or hood. Shown at left. Wt. 57 lbs.

86 GB 1351MO—Only \$2.50 Down. Cash **\$22.47**



Portable Brazier

A Legs Fold to carry easily in car. Rolls on 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ -in. rubber tired wheels. Windshield protects fire. 18-in. steel bowl, 25 in. high. Crank raises or lowers revolving chromed grill. 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch black steel legs. Ship. wt. 17 lbs.
86 GB 1348 M—Only **\$9.37**

Portable Grill

B Legs Fold—Carry by Bail Handles. Compact steel grill is lightweight, packs easily into car. Heavy wire grid is 20 $\frac{3}{4}$ x9 $\frac{3}{4}$ in. Windshield protects fire. Two side shelves hold supplies. Grate, ashpan. 38x12 $\frac{1}{2}$ x18 $\frac{3}{4}$ in. high. Shipping wt. 15 lbs.
86 GB 1342 M—Only **\$6.49**

Cooking and Serving Aids for the Outdoor Chef

C **Steak Markers.** Hand decorated wood cowheads mark steaks so chef can cook meat Rare, Medium, Well as requested. Wonderful gift.
86 GB 1432—Wt. 12 oz. Set of 6, **97c**

D **3-Pc. Barbecue Tool Set.** Long-handled Fork, Spoon, Turner of stainless steel with natural wood handles, leather hanging thongs.
86 GB 1383—Ship. wt. 1 lb. 8 oz. **\$2.98**

E **F** **Chromed Steel Wire Grills.** Kingsize or regular size, 27-inch handles.
86 GB 1272—12x16-in. **Hamburger Grill** holds 12 'burgers. Ship. wt. 2 lbs. 8 oz. **\$2.97**
86 GB 1273—9x12-in. **Hamburger Grill** holds six 'burgers. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 12 oz. **\$1.97**
86 GB 1275—11x16-in. **Steak Grill** holds six steaks, adjusts to thickness. Wt. 3 lbs. . . . **\$2.67**
86 GB 1274—8x12-in. **Steak Grill** holds 4 steaks. Adjusts to meat thickness. Wt. 2 lbs. 4 oz. . . **\$1.77**



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89 GB 4095—String of 10 lights. Ship. wt. 3 lbs.....\$7.49
89 GB 4096—Extra Bulbs (C 9½ size). Wt. for 3, 12 oz....3 for 1.19

B Romance Light. Twin hurricane-type lamps provide romantic candle glow indoors or out—on porch or patio, in dining room or den. Glass lamps on wrought iron stand, 50-in. high overall. Base, shaft, upper brackets unscrew for storage. Ship. wt. 6 lbs. 8 oz.

89 GB 4093 M—Lamp with two 6-in. "Spiral Twist" Candles. \$4.98
89 GB 4094—Box of 12 Candles. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 8 oz.....89c

C Tahitian Torch. For cottage, beach, patio or yard. Burns kerosene, gives bright, glowing flame; repels insects. Heavy metal, black wrought iron finish. 3-section 6-ft. steel pole, 7/16 in. thick. 12-in. wick is ¾ in. thick. With snuffer cap and wick poker. Burns about 15 hrs. with one 2-qt. filling. Just push into ground—anywhere.

89 GB 4092 M—Complete. Ship. wt. 7 lbs. 8 oz.....\$4.98

D Hawaiian Lawn Torch. Provides a festive light, helps repel insects. Burns about 15 hours on 2 qts. of kerosene without refilling. Galvanized steel, spot welded, soldered liquid-tight, with black wrought-iron finish. 12-inch wick and snuffer included. Base is 7 by 7 in., 9 in. high. May be mounted on any one-in. diam. pole, or order metal pole below. *Mailable.*

89 GB 4090—Torch only. Ship. wt. 3 lbs. 8 oz.....\$4.67
89 GB 4091 M—7-ft. Metal Pole. Ship. wt. 4 lbs.....1.98

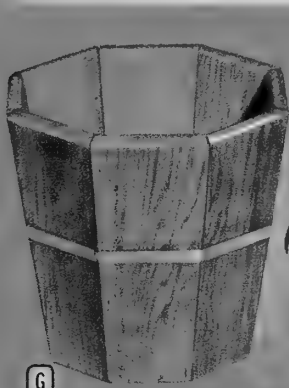
E Golden-Tone Patio Bell. Solid, drawn brass, polished to mirror finish, with four-leaf clover bracket of cast aluminum. Bell is 6 in. in diam. 6 in. high for clearer tone. Rabbit's Foot on pull cord.

89 GB 4202—With mounting screws. Ship. wt. 3 lbs.....\$6.79

Basket Weave Rustic Fence \$15⁷⁵ 60-in. 8-ft. Panel

F Attractive style that gives privacy, yet permits summer breezes to enter. Lodge Pole Pine Panels have weaving strips 3 in. wide, 9/16 in. thick—same attractive appearance inside and out. Western Red Cedar Posts 3¾x3¾ in. (8 ft. long for 60 in., 9 ft. for 72 in.) All treated with "Pentachlorophenol" wood preservative. Allow 1 line post for each section, plus corner, end and gate posts. Panels pre-drilled, lagbolts included for attaching to posts. Hardware (latches and hinges) not included in gate prices shown—add \$2.79 for walk gate, \$5.95 for drive gate if you wish us to furnish. Shipped from Stock by Freight, Truck or Express.

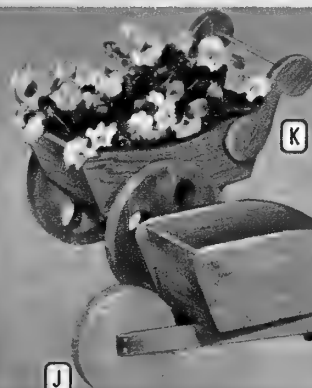
Item	60-In. Ht.			72-In. Ht.		
	Catalog No.	Ship.wt.	Each	Catalog No.	Ship.wt.	Each
8-Ft. Panels	89 GB 3776 R	80 lbs.	\$15.75	89 GB 3779 R	100 lbs.	\$18.50
Posts	89 GB 3777 R	18 lbs.	3.25	89 GB 3780 R	22 lbs.	3.75
3-ft. Gates	89 GB 3778 R	38 lbs.	14.25	89 GB 3781 R	45 lbs.	15.25



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H



J



L 8 in. high
24 in. long
\$3⁹⁸ ea.

Redwood Garden Accessories—Need No Paint—Last for Years

Solid Redwood is famous for its resistance to weather and insects, its rich color that adapts to any setting. Inexpensive and artistic planters are popular on lawn, patio or terrace. May be painted or varnished if desired. Shipped flat to save costs—screws, instructions for easy assembly furnished. Save 10% on plant box pairs.

G Graceful Octagon Plantub. 1-in. Redwood stock with rounded edges, brass band. Diam. shown for top of tub.

89 GB 2093—12-in. diam., 9 in. high. Ship. wt. 5 lbs....\$3.79
89 GB 2094—15-in. diam., 12 in. high. Wt. 7 lbs....\$4.79
89 GB 2095 M—18-in. diam., 18 in. high. Wt. 10 lbs....\$6.49

H Modern Urn. Effective used in pairs. 12 in. high, 12 in. square.

89 GB 2089—Ship. wt. 8 lbs.....\$4.98

J Colonial Wheelbarrow. 33¾ in., long. 8¾-in. diam. wheel. 12½ in. high, 11 in. wide.

89 GB 2075 M—Ship. wt. 9 lbs.....\$5.49

K Venetian Cart. For dramatic effect. 22 in. long, 16½ in. high, 12¼ in. wide.

89 GB 2076 M—Ship. wt. 9 lbs.....\$5.49

L California Modern Plant Boxes. Use singly or stacked for tall planters, room dividers, patio edging. Save 10% in pairs. *Mailable.*

Cat. No.	Size, In.	Wt. Ea.	Pair	Each
89 GB 2083M	24x8x8	8 lbs.	\$7.16	\$3.98
89 GB 2084M	36x8x8	11 lbs.	8.96	4.98
89 GB 2085M	48x8x8	15 lbs.	11.29	6.29
89 GB 2086MO	60x8x8	18 lbs.	13.44	7.49

Use Your Credit—
See Page 50 for terms.

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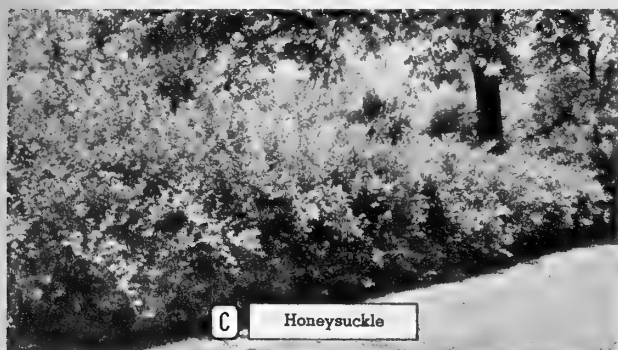
A LILAC HEDGE



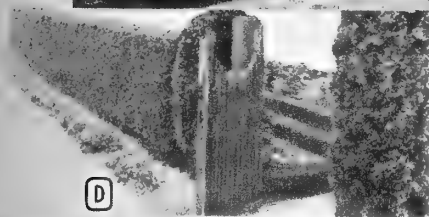
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B Bridal Wreath



C Honeysuckle



D



Plant a Living Fence

These Flowering Hedges Provide a Wealth of Bloom

Give your garden a splash of color while in bloom. Will flower abundantly and thrive in most any type of soil with a minimum of care. Grow quickly to form an attractive, uniform, dense hedge. All are easy to grow.

A Lilac *Rothomagensis*. (Bush not pictured). Medium tall. Light purple flowers in spring. Usually blooms by second year. Hardy all zones.
91 GB 5529—12-18-in. size. Postpaid. 5 for \$2.50; 10 for \$4.50; 25 for \$10.00

B Bridal Wreath (*Spiraea vanhouttei*). Blooms in spring. Tall growing—up to 7 ft. A showy shrub, covered with dainty white flowers. Forms a beautiful, tall screen without trimming. Mature plants have hundreds of arching branches. Hardy all zones. Plant in fairly good soil, in full sun or part shade.
91 GB 5511—State size and Quantity. Shipped Postpaid.
12 to 18-in. Size. 10 for \$2.60.....25 for \$6.15.....50 for \$11.50
18 to 24-in. Size. 10 for 3.10.....25 for 7.25.....50 for 13.50

C Honeysuckle (*Lonicera tatarica*). Blooms in early summer. Grows to 10 ft. Thick, upright-spreading branches bear fragrant light pink or red blossoms in early summer, followed by red berries. Fast growing... will make a fine tall hedge in a few years. Grows in almost any soil. Hardy all zones.
91 GB 5508—No color choice. State size and Quantity. Shipped Postpaid.
12 to 18-in. Size. 10 for \$2.85.....25 for \$6.75.....50 for \$12.50
18 to 24-in. Size. 10 for 3.50.....25 for 8.25.....50 for 15.50

Plant Evergreen Hedge for Year 'Round Beauty

D Arborvitae. This evergreen as well as many other varieties of evergreens are suitable for hedge and screen planting. Many are tall growing and will shut out the wind all through the year. In addition they retain their color all year, and therefore add to the year-round beauty of your home. See Pages 30 and 32 for a wide selection of evergreens.

How to Choose the Proper Hedge for Your Purpose

When you choose your hedge remember these three points; the temperature zone in which you garden; the planting location (in sun or shade); and the height you want your hedge to be when full grown. A good hedge can be one of the most important garden features, and its beauty and sturdy growth depend upon its suitability to purpose and planting location. All Wards hedge plants are well rooted, field grown. Thrive well in any good garden soil.

Variety Plant Hedge in Spring or Fall	Height	Period of Bloom	Hardy in zones	Rate of Growth	PLANTING DISTANCES	
					Dense Hedge	1-row Hedge
Arborvitae Evergreen* (Pyramidal)	15 ft.	.....	1-9	Slow	18 in.	18-24 in.
Barberry, Greenleaf...	3-5 ft.	Spring	1-9	Slow	15 in.	12 in.
Barberry, Redleaf....	3-4 ft.	Spring	1-9	Slow	15 in.	12 in.
Boxwood.....	4 ft.	.....	1-4	Slow	15 in.	12 in.
Bridal Wreath.....	7 ft.	Spring	1-9	Fast	.....	3-5 ft.
Chinese Elm.....	12 ft.	.....	1-9	Fast	.....	3-5 ft.
Falcata Bamboo.....	10-12 ft.	.....	1-4	Fast	2 ft.	2 ft.
Honeysuckle.....	10 ft.	Spring	1-9	Fast	.....	3-5 ft.
Lilac Roth.....	6-10 ft.	Spring	1-9	Fast	.....	4-6 ft.
Lodense.....	3 ft.	.....	1-7	Slow	9-12 in.	9-12 in.
Privet, Amur River....	12-15 ft.	Spring	1-8	Fast	9-12 in.	1 1/2-2 ft.
Privet, California.....	15 ft.	Spring	1-6	Fast	9-12 in.	1 1/2-2 ft.
Privet, Golden.....	6 ft.	.....	1-9	Fast	9-12 in.	18-24 in.
Rose, Floribunda*.....	3 ft.	Summer	1-9	Fast	12 in.	18 in.
Rose, Red Groot*.....	4-5 ft.	Summer	1-9	Fast	18 in.	18 in.
Taxus Yew Evergreen* (Upright Type)	10 ft.	.....	1-8	Slow	18 in.	18-24 in.

*These varieties are listed on other pages. Roses are on Page 15. Evergreens are on Page 30.

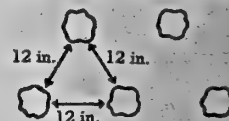
BE SURE YOUR HEDGE HAS A WELL-DRAINED LOCATION. The type of hedge should be determined by its purpose. For formal appearance, choose a trim, clipped hedge such as Privet. For a broad hedge, plants should be spaced alternately. Tall hedges are used to enclose a garden or picnic area. They also provide a protective background for perennials. To give hedge plants the most advantageous start, they should be set out in spring or fall, and allowed a maximum of moisture for vigorous root development.

How to Plant a Single Row, or Broad Dense Hedge

For a 1-Row Hedge



For a Broad, Dense Hedge



For formal appearance, choose a trim, clipped hedge such as Privet. For a broad hedge, plants should be spaced alternately as shown in sketch above. A tall hedge will provide privacy as well as protection from winds. For an informal hedge use Bridal Wreath. For a low growing hedge, with the added attraction of all summer color, plant a hedge of roses. See Pg. 15 for Rose Hedge. For year-round effect plant evergreen hedge. See Pg. 30 for evergreens.

Books to Help Do-It-Yourself Landscapers and Gardeners

1 Taylor's Encyclopedia of Gardening. Edited by Norman Taylor. Latest edition. Covers all phases of gardening, plant descriptions and culture. Answers every kind of garden question. 1248 pages of reference, alphabetically arranged and supported by drawings, maps and diagrams and zone map.
53 GB 834—Ship. wt. 2 lbs. 10 oz.....\$5.69

2 Lawns and Landscaping Handbook. By T. H. Everett. Complete step-by-step guide to soil improvement, grading, drainage, lawn planting, maintenance, and landscaping. 144 pages with 273 photographs plus 59 sketches, diagrams and plans.
53 GB 848—Ship. wt. 14 oz.....\$1.89

With This Easy-to-Grow Hedge

Popular Varieties of Leafy Hedges for All Home Plantings

The hedge varieties listed below are old favorites. They are easy to grow, easy to maintain. Become more beautiful every year, and can add to property value. Read information opp. Pg. on "How to Choose". Varieties below drop their leaves in late fall except Boxwood and Falcata Bamboo which are evergreen.

(E) F Privet, Amur River (*Ligustrum amurense*). Grows tall—12 to 15 ft. or may be pruned and kept low. Densely branched upright plant has lustrous green leaves. Quick growing and hardy, even in northern climates. Hardy all zones, but best in 3 through 8. In mild climates use California Privet below.

91 GB 5506—State Size and Quantity. Shipped Postpaid.

12 to 18-inch size..... 10 for \$2.40..... 25 for \$5.50..... 50 for \$10.50

18 to 24-inch size..... 10 for 2.90..... 25 for 6.85..... 50 for 12.95

(E) F Privet, California (*Ligustrum ovalifolium*). Grows to about 15 ft. tall, but may be pruned and kept low. Has dense, lustrous green foliage. Makes a fine formal hedge, upright, quick growing and easily sheared. Grows in almost any soil, resists temperatures to 10°. Best for zones 1-6.

91 GB 5503—State Size and Quantity. Shipped Postpaid.

12 to 18-inch size..... 10 for \$2.10..... 25 for \$4.75..... 50 for \$9.00

18 to 24-inch size..... 10 for 2.60..... 25 for 6.15..... 50 for 11.50

(G) Lodense Hedge. (*Ligustrum vulgare nanum*). A dwarf privet that makes a compact low growing hedge. Semi-evergreen foliage is deep green. Fine under low windows. Grows 3 ft. tall. May be sheared. Hardy in zones 1-7.

91 GB 5507—Shipped Postpaid. State Quantity.

15 to 18-inch size. 10 for \$6.75..... 25 for \$16.25..... 50 for \$31.50

(H) Golden Privet, (*L. Ixora Vicari*). New, hardy privet whose new growth is golden yellow. Provides interesting contrasts all season. Grows 6 feet tall, but can be trimmed to any height. Hardy in zones 1 through 9.

91 GB 5509—Shipped Postpaid. State Quantity.

12 to 15-inch size. 5 for \$4.25..... 10 for \$7.95..... 25 for \$18.75

(K) Falcata Bamboo. Feathery, light green veined foliage. Arching canes about 1/4-inch in diameter; blue-white when young. Usually grows 10-12 ft. tall. May be clipped. Best in moist, light soil, part shade. Hardy zones 1 through 4.

91 GB 7554—1-year Field Grown..... 10 for \$5.50; 25 for \$8.50; 50 for \$15.00

(L) Chinese Elm. (*Ulmus pumila*). Grows to 12 ft. tall and thick if left untrimmed, but may be kept pruned to any height. Grows very rapidly to form a dense, compact hedge of dark green leaves. One of the first plants to leaf out in spring, and one of the last to drop its leaves in the fall. In fall foliage turns red in the north, but remains green southward. Thrives in any ordinary soil. Drought and heat-resistant. Long lived. Hardy in all zones.

91 GB 5512—State Size and Quantity. Shipped Postpaid.

12 to 18-inch size. 10 for 95c..... 25 for \$1.85..... 50 for \$2.95

18 to 24-inch size. 10 for \$1.25..... 25 for 2.60..... 50 for 4.35

(M) Barberry, Greenleaf (*Berberis thunbergii*). Low growing—3 to 5 ft. Bushy, bright green foliage turns vivid red in fall. Bush actually provides color the year 'round, for its bright red berries cling all winter. Ideal for a protective hedge—the thorny branches form an almost impenetrable barrier. Hardy all zones. Thrives even in light soil. Never needs trimming. Rust free plants.

91 GB 5505—State Size and Quantity. Shipped Postpaid.

12 to 18-inch size..... 10 for \$2.90..... 25 for \$6.95..... 50 for \$12.95

18 to 24-inch size..... 10 for 3.40..... 25 for 8.15..... 50 for 15.50

(M) Barberry, Redleaf (*Berberis thunb. atropurpurea*). Low growing—3 to 4 ft. tall. One of the most colorful shrubs, its brilliant purplish-red foliage becomes more beautiful if planted in full sun. Turns a lustrous scarlet in autumn produces red berries that cling all winter. Hardy all zones. Rust free plants.

91 GB 5502—State Size and Quantity. Shipped Postpaid.

12 to 15-inch size. 10 for \$3.50..... 25 for \$8.00..... 50 for \$13.95

15 to 18-inch size. 10 for 3.90..... 25 for 8.75..... 50 for 15.50

(N) Boxwood. (*Buxus sempervirens*). Grows to about 4 ft. tall. Small, close growing, bright green foliage is evergreen. Remains beautiful all through the year. Clips to almost sculptured lines. Perfect as border, or may be used as single specimen. Shipped bare root. Hardy in zones 1 through 5.

91 GB 7511—1-yr. plants. State size and Quantity. Shipped Postpaid.

8 to 12-inch size..... Each \$1.49..... 3 for \$4.19

12 to 15-in. size..... Each 2.19..... 3 for 6.25

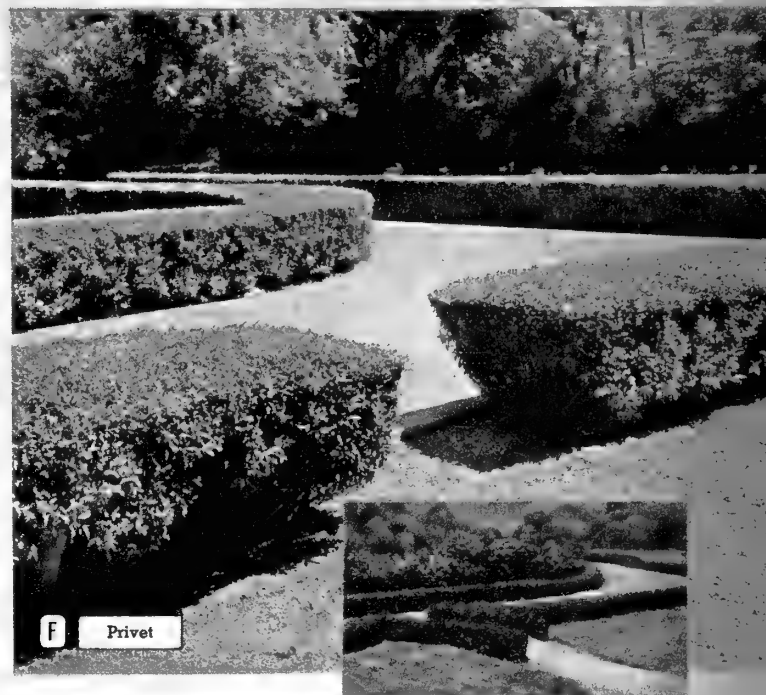
(P) Taxus Yew. Use upright type of Yew for this purpose. See Page 30.

Attractive Pampas Grass—\$1.49 Each

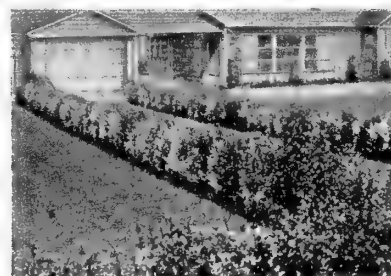
(Cortaderia argentea). (Pictured at right). Ideal shrub for mild climates. Tall, arching, grass-like, with silky, plume-like clusters of creamy to light pink color. Add graceful sweeping lines wherever they are used. Very useful in landscaping. Combine beautifully with many Perennials and make an unusual border planted in formal rows. Often used as a screen. Especially effective when planted near ponds or streams. May be dried for winter bouquets. Should not be crowded—allow at least 3 ft. between plants. Grows to 8 ft. tall. Prefers a rich, sandy soil, full sunlight. Hardy in zones 1 to 4.

91 GB 7557—Postpaid. 1 clump for \$1.49, 3 for \$4.19

E Privet



F Privet



G Lodense Hedge

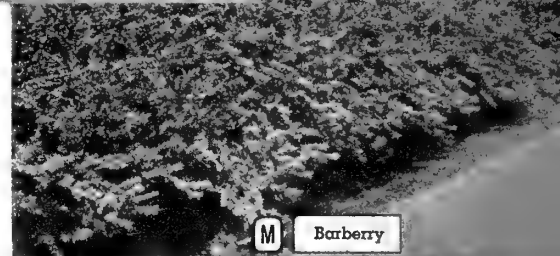
H Golden Privet



K Falcata Bamboo

L Chinese Elm

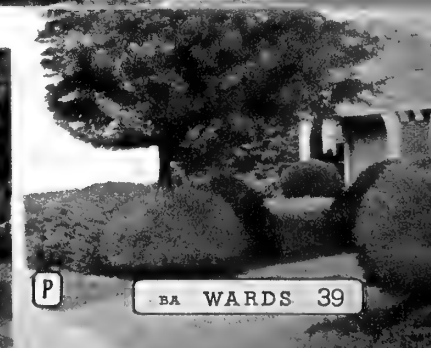
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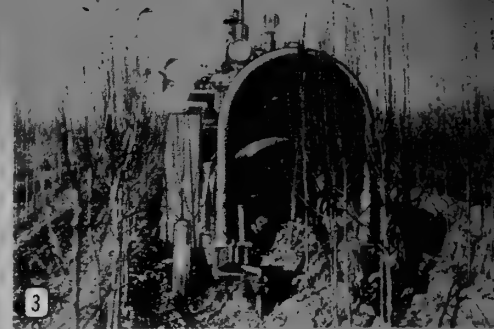
M Barberry



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3 Reasons why Wards Shrubs Can Be Depended on for Vigorous Growth—Why Your Satisfaction is Guaranteed

1 Proper Moisture from Start to Finish. That's why Wards Shrubs have vigor and sturdiness inbred. Young shrubs get their start in a greenhouse or cold frame. Experienced nurserymen maintain constant watch on these started plants and provide moisture as needed. Once in the field, shrubs are irrigated for proper watering.

2 Each Shrub Transplanted by Hand. This hand operation insures just the proper pressure around the roots of the young plant to give them a good growing start. Periodic feeding during their stay in the growing field insures sturdy tops and strong root systems—prepares them for good future garden growth.

3 Precious Root Systems are Saved for You. Specially designed equipment digs large shrubs as well as trees more carefully than could be dug by hand. The 3-ft. cutting blade operates 18 to 24 inches below soil surface to preserve root system. Shrubs are scientifically stored to retain their fresh-dug moisture through shipping.

Save on Landscape Collections of Famous Shrubs

Use Hydrangeas for Masses of Summertime Bloom—Collection of 3 for \$3.95

(A) to (D) Hydrangeas provide some of the most showy clusters of bloom in the late spring and summer garden. Established effects are obtained quickly. Usually bloom the first year. Plant in sun or shade and in spring or fall, except Blue which does best in shade and may be planted in spring only. Easy to grow, but need moisture and winter pruning.

Hydrangea Collection. Includes 1 each of A, C, and D described at right. 2-3 ft. size, except Blue is 2-yr. size. Shipped in Spring only.

91 GB 5434—Postpaid....3 for \$3.95

(A) Blue Hydrangea. (*H. opuloides*). Dozens of great, compact flowerheads of azure blue. Usually low growing, but will attain medium height in mild climates. In cold climates or areas of alkaline soil this makes an excellent tub planting for patio or terrace. To assure blue blooms, included is a packet of aluminum sulphate to be added to soil, according to directions. Hardy zones 1 through 6. Protect in zone 7. Shipped in spring only.

91 GB 5431—Postpaid.
6-9-in. size....3 for \$5.45; Ea. \$1.95

(B) Hortensis. NOT AVAILABLE.

(C) Hydrangea P.G. (*H. paniculata grandiflora*). Huge white blooms in late summer, turn pink, then bronze in fall. Medium-tall. Hardy all zones. 91 GB 5433—Postpaid. State size.
18-24-in. size...3 for \$2.70; Ea. 95c
2-3-ft. size...3 for 3.45; Ea. \$1.25
3-4-ft. size...3 for 3.95; Ea. 1.45

(D) Hydrangea A.G. (*H. aborescens grandiflora*). Medium-low, with large, ball-like clusters of white bloom in early summer. Hardy all zones. 91 GB 5432—Postpaid. State size.
18-24-in. size...3 for \$2.70; Ea. 95c
2-3-ft. size...3 for 3.45; Ea. \$1.25

Fragrant Sweetshrub

18-24-in. size \$1.25 Ea.

- Delicious spicy fragrance in flowers and wood
- Curious Mahogany-red Blooms

(E) (Calycanthus floridus). Interesting double flowers about 2 inches across in late spring. Gray-green branches. Handsome leathery foliage on medium-tall shrub. Plant in sun or part shade. Thrives best in well drained soil with moisture. Hardy zones 1 through 7. 91 GB 5323—18-24-inch size. Postpaid....3 for \$3.45; Each \$1.25

Plant One Spirea or Dozens—They're Hardy Everywhere—Easy to Grow—Low as 65c Each

(F) to (L) The Spirea Family of shrubs include some of the most popular of all American Shrubs. All present a generous display of bloom, and will last for years. Grow vigorously in any soil, but thrive best in full sun unless

less otherwise indicated in descriptions below. Use them for hedges, foundation plantings, mixed borders, or to line a walk or driveway. Use them for a succession of bloom. All may be planted in spring or fall.

(F) Billiard. (*S. billiardii*). An upright shrub of medium height. 8-inch feathery spikes of rose-red blooms in summer. Blue-green foliage. Thrives in sun or shade. Good with perennials. 91 GB 5438—Postpaid.
18-24-in. size....3 for \$2.40; Ea. 85c

(G) Blue Mist Spirea. (*S. caryopteris*). Well rounded, medium-low shrub with powdery blue fringed flowers from August until frost. Silvery green foliage. Hardy, but prune to ground each fall in zones 6 through 9. 91 GB 5441—12-18 in. size. Postpaid. 3 for \$3.35.....Each \$1.20

(H) Bridal Wreath. (*S. vanhouttei*). Every branch is a glistening spire of brilliant white bloom in late spring. In season it is solid with bloom. Small dark green leaves are attractive through late fall. Fine for hedge. Tall growing. Best if not clipped. 91 GB 5444—State size. Postpaid.
18-24-in. size...3 for \$1.80; Ea. 65c
2-3-ft. size....3 for 2.40; Ea. 85c
3-4-ft. size....3 for 2.70; Ea. \$1.00

Add to the value of your home with Wards Shrubs and Trees. Use Wards Monthly Payment Plan; details on Page 50.

(J) Froebel. (*S. bumalda froebelii*). One of the finest low shrubs for foundation planting. Tiny deep rose florets make flat 3-inch flowers that bloom all summer and fall. 91 GB 5437—Postpaid.
15-18-in. size...3 for \$2.70; Ea. 95c

(K) Prunifolia. (*S. Prunifolia plena*). Great plume-like branches. In early spring they are thickly wreathed with white clusters of double flowers. A highly desirable shrub of medium height, with red fall foliage. 91 GB 5443—Postpaid.
18-24-in. size...3 for \$3.10; Ea. \$1.10

(L) Dwarf White Spirea. (*S. Callosa Alba*). Low, mound-like plants similar to Froebel, but with white blooms. Covered with flat clusters of flowers all summer. 91 GB 5440—Postpaid.
12-15-inch size...3 for \$3.60 Each.....1.60

Spring-Fall Spirea Collection

4 Shrubs \$3.20 Save 35c

Includes 1 each of Bridal Wreath, Prunifolia, and Billiard in 18-24 inch size, Froebel in 15-18 in. size. 91 GB 5445—Postpaid. 4 for \$3.20

Spring-Flowering Quince

Group of 3 for \$3.40

(M) (N) (Chaenomeles japonica). One of the first shrubs to bloom in spring. Medium height. Brilliantly colored, thick petaled blossoms cover branches from top to bottom before leaves appear. Irregular shape shrub makes a thorny close-knit hedge with handsome, shiny foliage. Needs sun. Prune after flowering. Plant in spring or fall. Hardy all zones.

Quince Group. Includes 1 Stanford Red and 2 Oriental Red described below. 18-24-inch size. 91 GB 5327—Postpaid. All 3 for \$3.40

(M) Stanford Red. New. Large, vivid scarlet flowers. Almost thornless. 91 GB 5330—Postpaid.
18-24-in. size.3 for \$5.50; Each \$1.95

(N) Oriental Red Quince. Bright red. 91 GB 5322—Postpaid.
18-24-in. size.3 for \$2.70; Each. 95c
3-4-ft. size...3 for 3.90; Each \$1.35

Weigelas for Late Spring

Group of 3 for \$3.50

(P) (R) (T) Bloom late spring. Medium tall. Sprays of bell shaped flowers; deep green foliage. Plant in Spring or Fall in full sun and in wind-sheltered location. Hardy all zones. Winter protect in zones 8 and 9.

Weigela Collection. 1 each of 3 below, in sizes indicated. Save 45c. 91 GB 5331—Postpaid. All 3 for \$3.50

(P) Vanicek. Popular new shrub. Beautiful Rose-red blossoms cover the bush in Spring, scatter through summer and fall. Always colorful. 91 GB 5334—Postpaid.
2-3-ft. size....3 for \$4.50; Each \$1.60

(R) Variegated. (*W. florida variegata*). Masses of lovely pink blossoms. Leaves have a creamy edge. 91 GB 5326—Postpaid.
18-24-in. size.3 for \$3.45; Each \$1.25

(T) Rosea. (*W. florida*). Large, deep, rose-pink blossoms—flowers freely. 91 GB 5325—Postpaid.
2-3-ft. size...3 for \$3.10; Each \$1.10

Buddleias Will Bloom Early Summer Through Late Fall

Group of 4 for \$3.50—Save 50c

(U) to (X) Often Called Butterfly Bush. Nicely rounded shrub of medium height for use in the shrub border or to combine with perennials. Provides colorful bloom in panicles up to 18 inches long from early summer through late fall. Adds extra color to the late season garden. Fragrance is attractive to butterflies. Needs sun. Hardy all zones, but requires winter protection in zones 8 and 9. Tops may winter kill, but new growth will shoot up again in spring. Plant in spring or fall.

Buddleia Collection includes 1 each of 4 beautiful varieties listed below. 91 GB 5471—All 18-24-inch size. Shipped Postpaid.....All 4 for \$3.50

Varities listed below are 18-24-inch size. Shipped Postpaid.

(U) Snowbank. (*B. davidi hybrida*). Long, glistening white sprays of bloom. Adds a "cool look" border. 91 GB 5470...3 for \$2.70; Each \$1.00

(V) Royal Red. (*B. lindleyana*). Near-est true red Buddleia. Plant Pat. 556. 91 GB 5468...3 for \$2.70; Each \$1.00

(W) Empire Blue. (*B. davidi magnifica*). Lilac blue contrasts with fall flowers. Plant Pat. 557. 91 GB 5469.3 for \$2.70; Each \$1.00

(X) Pink Dawn. (*B. davidi superba*). Masses of rich pink blossoms. 91 GB 5465.3 for \$2.70; Each \$1.00

HELP FOR DO-IT-YOURSELF LANDSCAPERS

Turn to Pg. 7 for information about Wards new pamphlet to help in planning your own Landscape plantings. With this helpful booklet of hints you can plan effective landscape schemes using recommended plant combinations.

HYDRANGEA COLLECTION

A, C, and D - 3 for \$3.95

(A) Blue Hydrangea

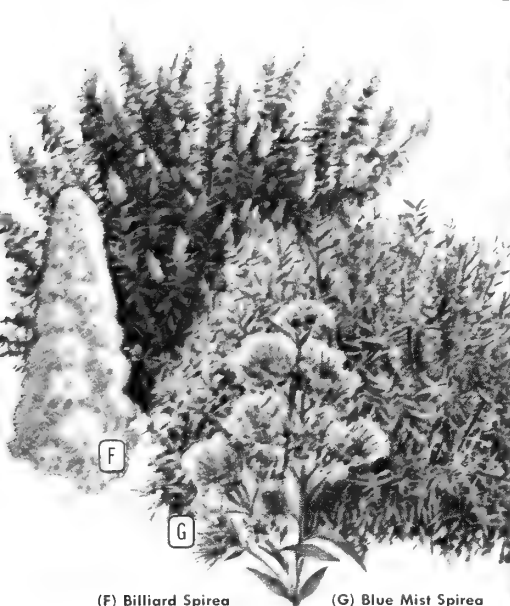
(B) Hortensis Hydrangea

(C) Hydrangea P.G.

(D) Hydrangea A.G.

(E) Fragrant Sweetshrub

Use Flowering Shrubs to get Most Bloom with Least Effort



(F) Billiard Spirea

(G) Blue Mist Spirea



(H) Bridal Wreath Spirea



(K) Prunifolia Spirea

Summer Flowering Spireas

Group of 4 for \$4.15

Get a wealth of summer and fall bloom in a variety of color. Combine with perennials or other shrubs for dramatic effects. Group includes 1 each of Billiard, Blue Mist, Froebel and Callusa Alba. Same sizes as offered on opposite page. You save 45c by buying all 4.

91 GB 5446—Postpaid... All 4 for \$4.15

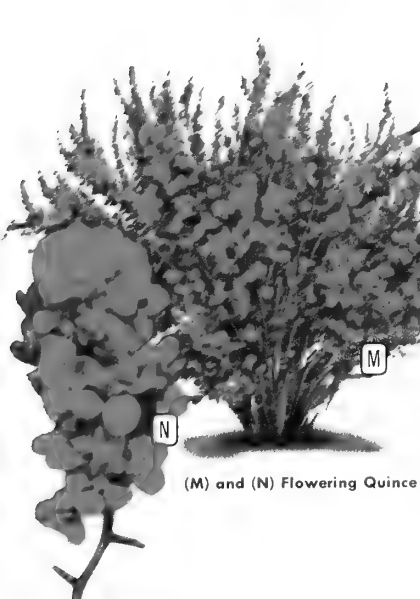


(J) Froebel Spirea

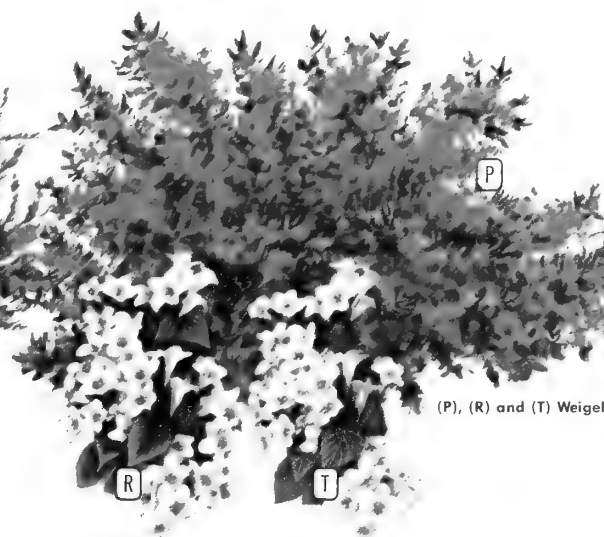


(L) Dwarf White Spirea—Callusa Alba

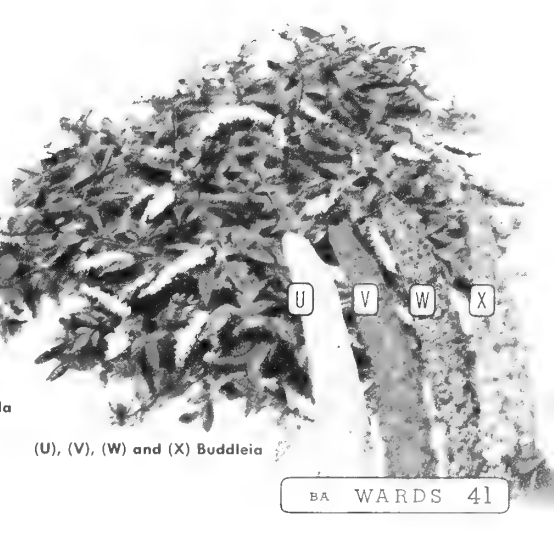
Choose from This Page for a Succession of Bloom all Season



(M) and (N) Flowering Quince



(P), (R) and (T) Weigela



(U), (V), (W) and (X) Buddleia



(A) Azalea Mollis

Use Wards Low Growing

Azalea Mollis—Hardy to 20° Below Zero

Collection of 3 Named Varieties \$795 Pictured Below

(A) to (D) (Rhododendron molle). Among the most strikingly beautiful shrubs for foundation and landscape planting. Clusters of large, orchid shaped flowers cover the bush in late spring. Their brilliance of color is especially handsome against evergreens or when planted to create large masses of color. Medium-low growing. Prefer half shaded, sheltered spot; and moist, well-drained, acid soil. Best in zones 4 through 8. Plant 4 ft. apart in spring only.

(A) Azalea Mollis, Mixed Colors. Includes a wide range of brilliantly beautiful colors. No color choice. 91 GB 5406—9-12 inch size. Postpaid. 3 for \$5.95; Ea. \$2.10

Collection of Named Varieties. Includes 1 each of B, C, D, in the lovely colors pictured below. 10-15-inch size. 91GB5405—Postpaid. 3 for \$7.95

Azalea Mollis by Variety Name.

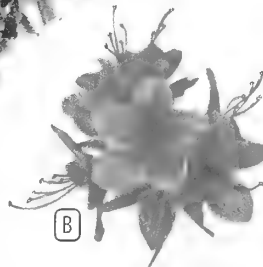
(B) Prince Frederick. Pink. 91GB5409—10-15-in. plants. Postpaid. 3 for \$8.25; Ea. \$2.95

(C) Isabella Vanhoutte. Yellow. 91GB5408—10-15-in. plants. Postpaid. 3 for \$8.25; Ea. \$2.95

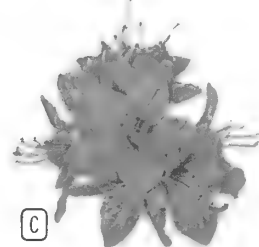
(D) J. C. Vantol. Clear red. 91GB5407—10-15-in. plants. Postpaid. 3 for \$8.25; Ea. \$2.95



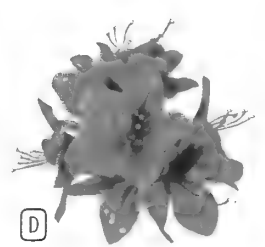
Garden Mark



(B)



(C)



(D)

Colorful Bloom in Late Spring—Shrubs Low as \$1.00

(E) Dwarf Mock Orange. (Philadelphus coronarius aurea). Grows 2-5 ft. tall depending on climate. A beautiful, perfectly rounded shrub that does not sucker. Yellow foliage turns light green in summer. Makes a beautiful contrast in foundation plantings with dark greens. For vivid contrast in shrub borders, plant with red foliaged shrubs. Fragrant white bloom in late May and early June. Plant 3 ft. apart in spring or fall, in sun or shade. Hardy in zones 1 through 7. Give winter protection in zone 8.

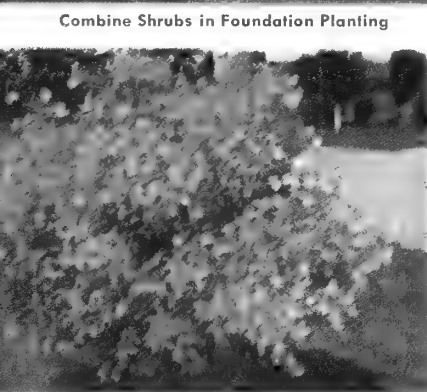
91 GB 5301—12-15 inch size. Postpaid. 3 for \$6.15.....Each \$2.15

(F) Double Flowering Kerria. (K. japonica pleniflora). Bright yellow flowers resembling button chrysanthemums cover shrub in late spring, and are excellent for cutting. Slender branched, graceful shrub of medium height, fine for foundation planting. Stems remain bright green all winter. Vigorous and easy to grow in sun or partial shade, and in any ordinary soil. Some pruning in spring tends to increase bloom. Hardy zones 1 through 7. Plant in spring only.

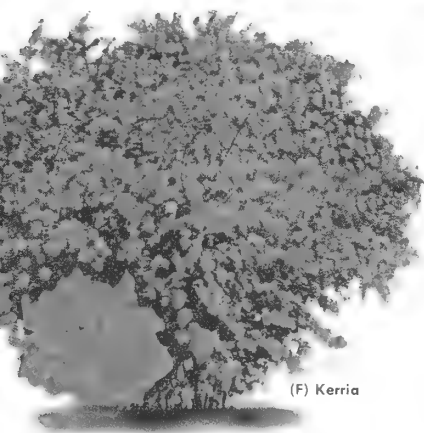
91 GB 5383—18-24 inch size. Postpaid. 3 for \$4.50.....Ea. \$1.60

(G) Pink Flowering Almond. (Prunus glandulosa). Before leaves appear, every branch is fluffy with hundreds of tiny, double, pink flowers. One of the finest medium-low shrubs for foundation planting. Radiant and graceful appearing in late spring. Compact growing with deep green foliage. Easy to grow. Plant 4 ft. apart in full sun in spring or fall, and in sheltered location in zones 8 and 9. Hardy all zones.

91 GB 5404—Slate size. Postpaid. 18-24 in....3 for \$2.70; Ea. \$1.00
2-3 ft.....3 for 3.45; Ea. 1.25
3-4 ft.....3 for 4.65; Ea. 1.60



(E) Dwarf Mock Orange



(F) Kerria



(G) Pink Flowering Almond

Very Low Growing—Use Under Low Windows

(H) Dwarf Hypericum. (H. Hidcote). St. John's-wort. Fragrant, 2-inch, bright yellow, cup-shaped blooms cover bush from early summer until late fall. Varies from about 18 inches to 3 or 4 feet tall in mild climates and about as wide as they are tall. Blooms longer in partial shade. Plant in spring only. Hardy in zones 1 through 6 and in sheltered location with winter protection in zone 7. Shrub is pruned for planting.

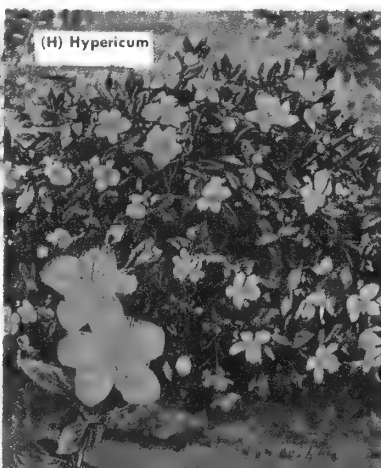
91 GB 5336—12-15 inch size. Postpaid. 3 for \$3.95.....Each \$1.45

(J) Dwarf Deutzia. (Deutzia gracilis). One of the prettiest of all shrubs. Beautifully rounded form, neat foliage, and a wonderful profusion of delicate, snowy-white bloom in loose clusters in late spring. Usually grows 2-3 ft. tall. Excellent to face-down taller growing, more leggy shrubs. Easy to grow. Plant 2½ feet apart in full sun or part shade, in spring or fall. Hardy zones 1 through 6. Plant in sheltered location zones 7, 8.

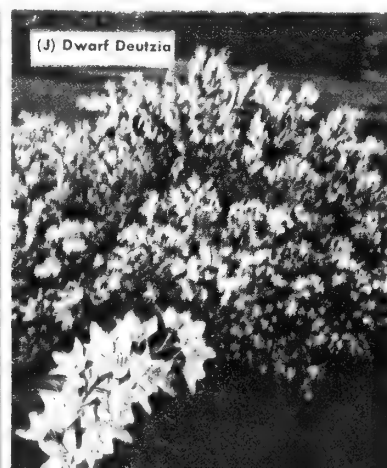
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(K) Potentilla, Gold Drop. (P. fruticosa). From June to October it's studded with intensely brilliant yellow, Buttercup-like flowers. Grows 2 to 2½ ft. tall. A small, compact, irregular shaped mound. Foliage is dense and fern-like. Plant in full sun and in spring or fall. Set plants 2½ feet apart ordinarily, but for hedge set plants 15 inches apart. Hardy in zones 1 through 8. Plant in sheltered location in zone 8.

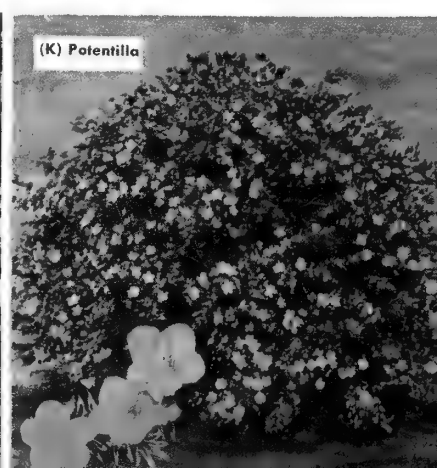
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(H) Hypericum

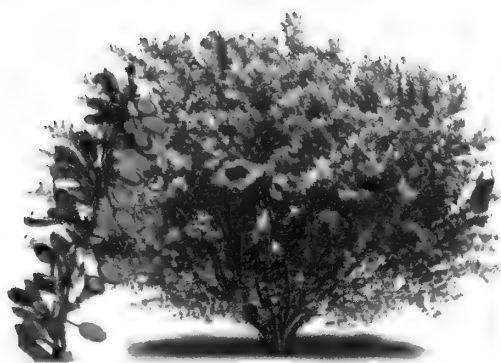


(J) Dwarf Deutzia



(K) Potentilla

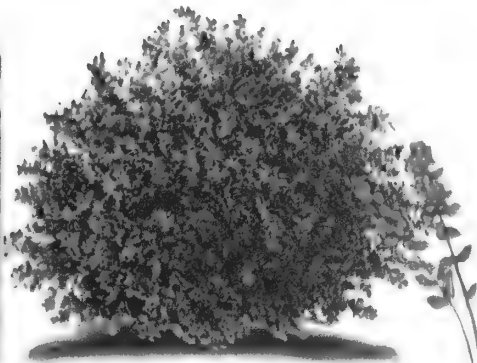
Shrubs for Neat Effects Around Ranch Homes



(A) Green Barberry



(C) Mentor Barberry



(D) Coralberry

Barberry—Easy-to-Grow, Thorny Barrier

(A) Green Barberry. (*Berberis thunbergii*). Green foliage during spring and summer; red fall foliage. Bright red berries last through winter. Grow in any soil or exposure. Green and Red Barberry on this page are bushier, make more shapely specimens than same varieties on hedge pages. Medium height. Plant in spring or fall. Wards plants are rust free. Hardy all zones. *Postpaid.*

91 GB 5309—18-24-inch size. 3 for \$2.85. Each \$1.00

(B) Red Barberry (*B. thunbergii atropurpurea*). Brilliant maroon-red all season. Other characteristics same as (A) above. Plant in full sun to enhance natural red color. *Postpd.*

91 GB 5420—18-24-inch size. 3 for \$3.15. Each \$1.15

(C) Mentor Barberry (*B. Mentorensis*). It's drought resistant, evergreen almost all year in mild climates, has thick dark green foliage to the ground, and its dense, erect form requires no pruning. Excellent to plant close to dry foundation walls. Combines well with evergreens—one of the finest hedge plants. Easy to grow in any soil in sun or part shade but thrives best in full sun. Plant 4 ft. apart in spring or fall. For dense hedge plant, 15-18 inches apart. Hardy all zones.

91 GB 5419—18-24-inch size. *Postpaid.*
3 plants for \$4.50; Each. \$1.60

Prevent Soil Erosion

(D) Coralberry. (*Symphoricarpos vulgaris*). One of the best shrubs for terrace planting or wherever you want to prevent soil erosion. Medium height with dark green foliage. Small, dainty white flowers appear in early summer, followed by long slender clusters of handsome red fruits. Fruits usually remain all winter. Thrives best in part shade. Does well even in smoky areas and in almost any soil. Plant 3 to 4 feet apart in spring or fall. Hardy all zones.

91 GB 5310—2-3-ft. size.
Postpaid. 3 for \$2.95; Each. \$1.10

Combine Euonymus with Evergreens

EASY TO GROW FOUNDATION PLANTS \$1⁶⁰ to \$2⁵⁰ Each

(E) Upright Radicans Euonymus. (*E. radicans sarcoxae*). Glossy deep green foliage is evergreen in mild climates. Narrow, compact usually 4 feet tall. Excellent in areas of dense shade. Plant 3 ft. apart in spring or fall. (12-18 inches apart for hedge). Hardy zones 1 through 7.

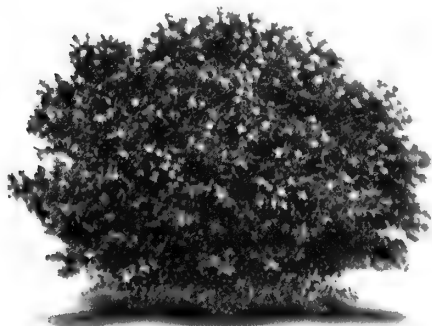
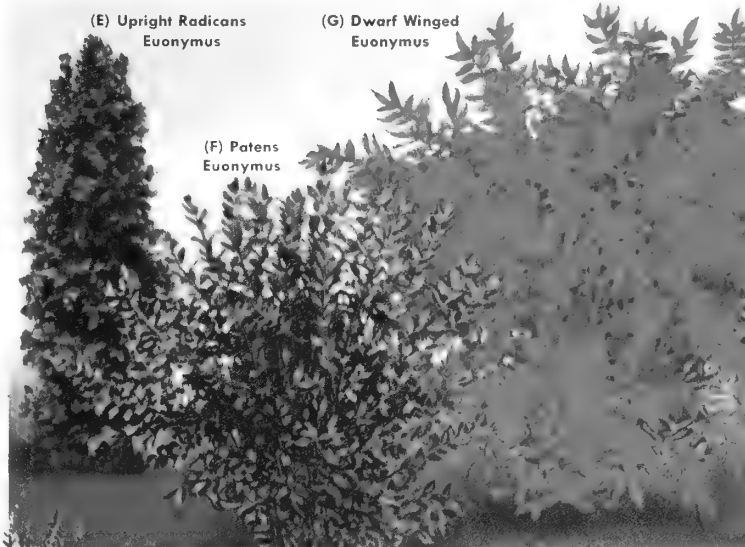
91 GB 5346—18-24-inch size.
Postpaid. 3 for \$7.20; Each. . . \$2.50

(F) Patens Euonymus. (*E. patens*). Rich green foliage remains evergreen in mild climates. Very handsome shrub for shaded areas. Compact and shapely. Grows to about 6 ft. tall. Orange berries in fall add to its charm. Plant 3 ft. apart in spring or fall. Hardy zones 1 through 6.

91 GB 5345—15-18-inch size.
Postpaid. 3 for \$4.50; Each. \$1.60

(G) Dwarf Winged Euonymus. (*E. alatus compactus*). Foliage is beautiful all season—turns old rose, then brilliant crimson in fall. Its slow growth, dense habit, and compact, rounded form, make it ideal as a low hedge or foundation planting. Small red berries from July to frost. Curious, narrowly winged corky bark is interesting in winter. Plant 3 ft. apart in sun or shade and in spring or fall. Grows 5 to 6 ft. tall. Hardy zones 1 through 8.

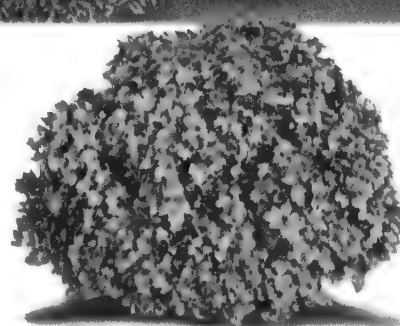
91 GB 5342—12-15-inch size. *Postpaid.* 3 plants for \$6.45; Each. . . \$2.25



(H) Clavey's Dwarf Honeysuckle



(J) Alpine Currant



(K) Dwarf European Cranberry

"Quiet" Shrubs Complement Your Home \$1⁴⁰ to \$1⁹⁵ Each

(H) Clavey's Dwarf Honeysuckle. (*Lonicera nana Claveyi*). Neat, small foliage is compact from the ground up. In late spring white flowers dot the shrub. Grows slowly to about 4 ft. tall. Shears to make one of the finest appearing of all low growing hedges. Makes a beautiful well rounded shrub for doorway or foundation planting. Plant 3 ft. apart in full sun, in spring or fall. Hardy all zones.

91 GB 5317—12-18-inch size.
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(J) Alpine Currant. (*Ribes alpinum*) One of the finest shrubs for northern planting. Its dense, bright green, textured foliage comes early in spring. Wide spreading with branches down to the grounds. Bright red fall fruits. Succeeds well in shade. Medium tall, but may be sheared and kept low. Plant 4-5 feet apart in spring or fall. Hardy all zones, but best north of zone 5.

91 GB 5399—15-18-inch size.
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(K) Dwarf European Cranberry. (*Viburnum opulus nanum*). Deep green foliage with rosy-pink overcast—as beautiful as any flowering shrub. Compact in form. Makes an excellent hedge or edging 2 to 2½ ft. tall. Thrives in any soil, even wet or clay ground. Plant in sun or light shade, in spring or fall. Set plants 2 ft. apart—for compact hedge 15 in. apart. Hardy in all zones.

91 GB 5303—6-9-inch size.
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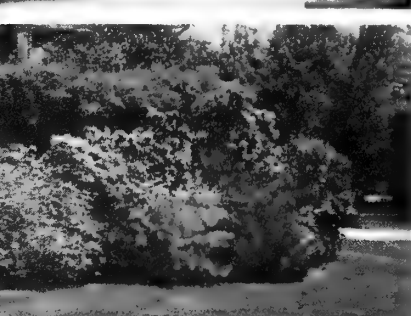
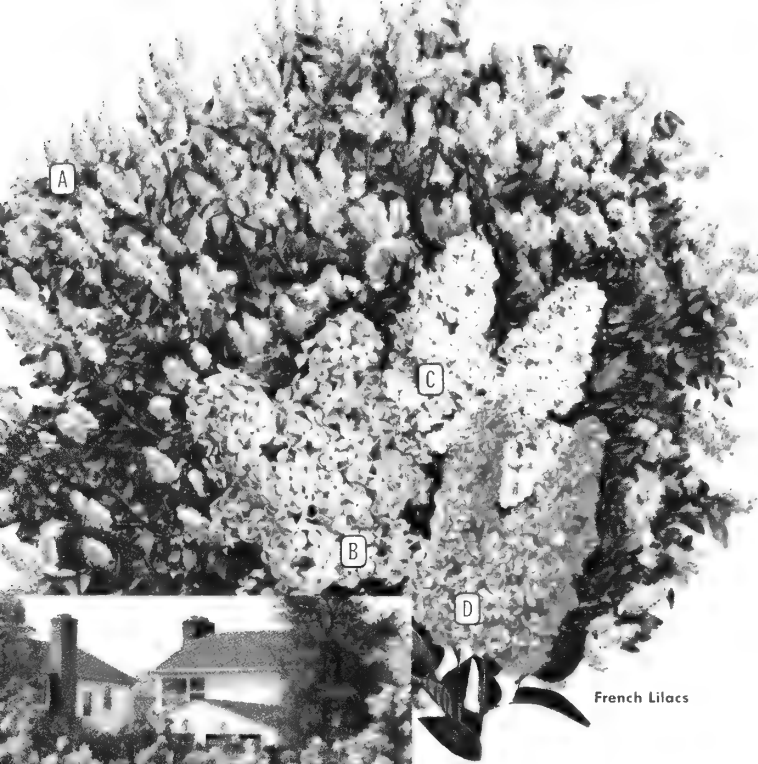
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Colorful Tall Shrubs

FRENCH LILACS—USUALLY BEGIN BLOOMING SECOND YEAR

Collection of 4 \$4.95 Postpaid



French Lilacs

(A) to (D) **French Lilacs.** (*Syringa Hybrids*). One of the most beautiful of all tall shrubs for northern gardens. Larger blooms, more richly colored, more beautiful than Old Fashioned Lilacs. Double varieties may have semi-double blooms the first time. Plant 6 ft. apart in full sun, in spring or fall. Hardy all zones. Best in zones 3 through 9. Prune in spring after the bloom period.

(A) 91 GB 5489—**Lucie Baltet.** Red buds. Large clusters of lilac-pink and ivory single blooms. Lower growing.

(B) 91 GB 5482—**President Lincoln.** Most nearly true blue Lilac. Single florets. Large panicles. Early.

(C) 91 GB 5484—**Mme. Lemoine.** Pure white double florets. Pink tinge to buds. Sweetly scented.

(D) 91 GB 5487—**Paul Theron.** Red buds; carmine-pink to lilac-pink double flowers. Lower growing.

Prices of Above French Lilacs. State Size.

12-18 in. size..... Shipped Postpaid. Each \$1.35; 3 for \$3.85
18-24 in. size..... Shipped Postpaid. Each 1.70; 3 for 4.75

French Lilac Collection

Plant all 4 of the lovely lilacs described above. Collection includes 1 each of above 4 French Hybrids.

91 GB 5480—12-18 in. size.

Shipped Postpaid.... All 4 for \$4.95

91 GB 5481—18-24 in. size.

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Lilac Rothemangensis.

(E) Improved old fashion variety Blooms second year. Med. tall. Light purple. Hardy all zones.

91 GB 5319—State Size. Postpaid.

18-24 in. size. Ea. 95c; 3 for \$2.70

2-3 ft. size. Ea. \$1.10; 3 for 3.30

3-4 ft. size. Ea. 1.50; 3 for 4.20

Mock Orange

95c TO \$1.60 Each

(F) (G) (H) **Mock Orange.** (*Philadelphus*). Bloom in early summer. Great clusters of waxy, white blossoms cover the bush. One spray makes a fragrant bouquet. Prefers sun, but stands shade better than most shrubs. Prune after flowering. Plant 5 feet apart in spring or fall. Do well in most soils. Hardy in all zones.

(F) **Coronarius.** Tall growing. Most fragrant of all Mock Oranges. One branch will fill an entire room with fragrance. Large gold crowned, single white flowers.

91 GB 5321—Postpaid.

2-3 ft. size... Each \$1.10; 3 for \$2.70

(G) **Minnesota Snowflake.** Medium tall. Extra-large double flowers from top to bottom. Dark green foliage. Symmetrical bush. Gracefully branched. Withstands 30° below zero. Plant Pat. No. 538. 91 GB 5491—Postpaid.

18-24 in. size. Each \$1.60; 3 for \$4.50

(H) **Virginal.** Medium height. Largest flowering semi-double Mock Orange. Beautiful, irregular shaped shrub. Vigorous and erect growing.

91 GB 5477—State Size. Postpaid.

18-24 in. size. Each 95c; 3 for \$2.70

2-3 ft. size... Each \$1.10; 3 for 3.10

For Summer to Fall Bloom

Choice of 6 — 95c OR \$1.10 Each

(J) (K) (L) **Crapemyrtle.** (*Lagerstroemia*). Magnificent big clusters of showy, crinkly blooms appear in abundance from summer to fall. Usually tall growing in mild climates. Lower growing in colder climates. Provides brilliant color through hottest summers. One of the finest shrubs for the south. Easy to grow. Lacy blue-green foliage, turning gold and crimson in fall. Often blooms the first year. For most bloom and vigorous growth, prune in early spring. Plant in spring only in sunny, sheltered location in rich, well-drained soil. Hardy zones 1 through 6, but provide winter protection in zone 6.

(J) 91 GB 5472—**Purple.** Purple.

(K) 91 GB 5474—**Pink.** Rose-pink.

(L) 91 GB 5473—**Red.** Rose-red.

Prices of Above Crapemyrtle.

18-24 in. size..... Postpaid.

Each 95c; 3 for \$2.70

Crapemyrtle Collection. Includes 1 each of all 3 varieties listed above. 18-24 in. size.

91 GB 5475—Postpaid. 3 for \$2.45

(M) (N) (P) **Althea Rose of Sharon.** (*Hibiscus syriacus*). One of the most brilliant flowering shrubs. Blooms late summer and all fall when few other shrubs are in flower. Large, double rose-like flowers appear in great profusion. Vertical branching habit gives it a fine formal appearance. Excellent tall lawn shrub or hedge. Thrives even in cities. Hardy zones 1 through 7. Thrives best in part shade, and in well drained soil. Plant 5 feet apart in spring or fall.

(M) 91 GB 5305—**Double Rose-Red.**

(N) 91 GB 5306—**Double Pink.**

(P) 91 GB 5307—**Double Bluish-Purple.** Unusual color.

Prices of Above Althea.

2-3 ft. size..... Shipped Postpaid.

Each \$1.10; 3 for \$2.95

Althea Collection. Includes 1 each of 3 choice varieties described above. 2-3 foot size. Postpaid.

91 GB 5308..... All 3 for \$2.85

For Zone Map See Page 6. Use it as a guide to greater garden success.

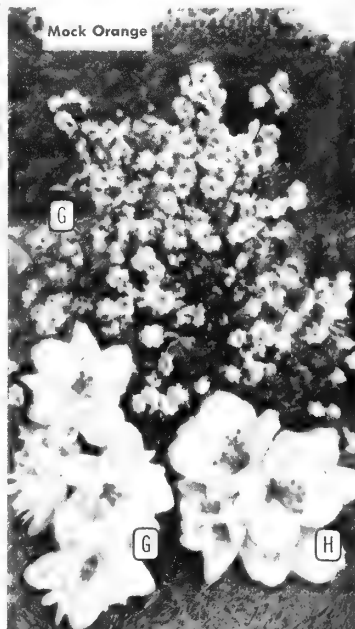
Combine Tall Shrubs with Low Growing Shrubs for Wide Borders



Coronarius Mock Orange



Mock Orange



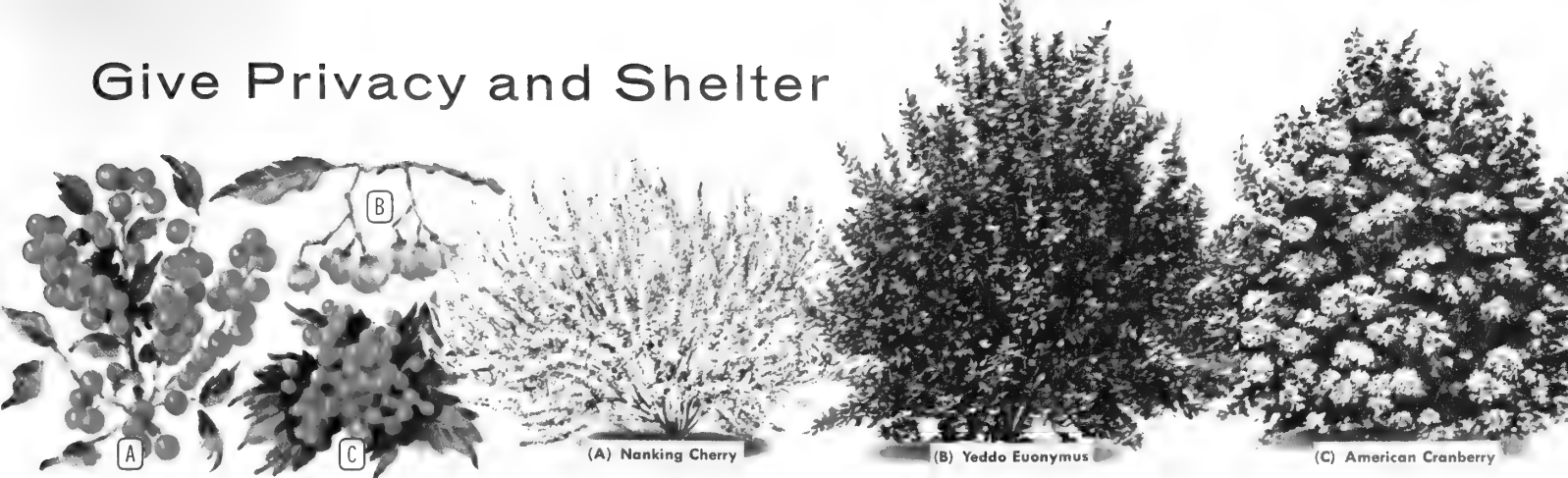
Crapemyrtle



Althea



Give Privacy and Shelter



Add Interest to Your Late Garden With Fruiting Shrubs

All 3 Pictured Above
Collection of 3—\$4.25

Fill a big corner with all-season color-interest. Collection includes 1 each of A,B,C pictured above, described at right. Sizes as listed. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 5353.....3 for \$4.25

(A) Orient Hybrid Nanking Cherry. (*Prunus tomentosa*). An improved variety with double white blooms in early spring. Grows 8–10 ft. tall, and spreads even wider. Finest shrub-type cherry. Bright red edible fruits in midsummer. Plant 8 ft. apart in spring or fall, in well drained soil. Hardy all zones. 91 GB 6849—2–3 ft. size. *Postpaid*. 3 for \$4.50; Each \$1.60

(B) Yeddo Euonymus. (*E. yedoensis*). Very large, broad, upright shrub becomes tree-like with age. Beautifully formed rose-pink fruits open to reveal orange seeds. Remain after leaves fall. Scarlet fall foliage. Plant in sun or part shade; spring or fall. Hardy zones 1 through 7. 91 GB 5347—18–24 inch size. *Postpaid*. 3 for \$4.25; Each \$1.50

(C) American Cranberry. (*Viburnum trilobum*). Huge white flower clusters usually 4 inches across, followed by scarlet berries which cling to the branches all winter. Scarlet fall foliage. Grows 8–12 ft. tall. Plant in sun or part shade, and in spring or fall. Hardy all zones, but best north of zone 4. 91 GB 6856—2–3 ft. size. *Postpaid*. 3 for \$4.50; Each \$1.60

Enjoy an Array of Early Bloom Shrubs 90c to \$3.25 Ea.

(D) Purple Leaf Plum. (*Prunus cistena*). Blooms in spring before leaves appear. Tall, open growing with abundant single pink flowers, followed by brilliant purple, all-season foliage. Beautiful accent or specimen shrub. Hardy all zones. Plant in sun or shade. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 5421—2–3 ft. size. 3 for \$5.25; Each \$1.85

(E) Fragrant Pink Snowball. (*Viburnum carlesii*). In early spring coral-pink buds open into white blooms. One of the most beautiful, most fragrant shrubs. Medium-tall rounded shrub. Blue-green foliage turns red in fall. Plant in sun or shade, in sheltered location and in spring only. Provide winter protection in zones 8 and 9. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 5451—12–18 in. size. 3 for \$9.25; Each \$3.25

(H) Rose Tree of China. (*Prunus triloba*). Most beautiful tall shrub. Every branch and twig is thickly covered with double rose-pink blossoms in late spring before the leaves appear. Hardy zones 1 through 8, but shelter in zone 8. Plant in full sun. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 5401—2–3 ft. size....3 for \$4.25; Each \$1.50

(J) Rosezalea. (*Malus ioensis*). Masses of dark, rose-red blossoms on every branch in late spring. A large shrub—tall growing and almost as wide as it is high. Provides a more solid mass of color than most easy-to-grow shrubs. In fall small bright red jelly apples line the branches. Attractive clean foliage. Thrives in any soil. Plant in full sun. Hardy all zones. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 5426—3–4 ft. size....3 for \$4.95; Each \$1.75

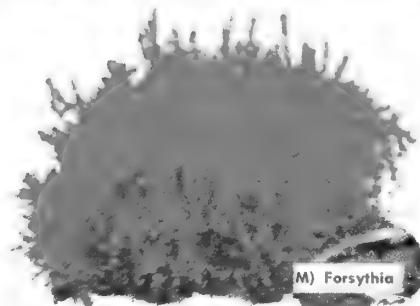
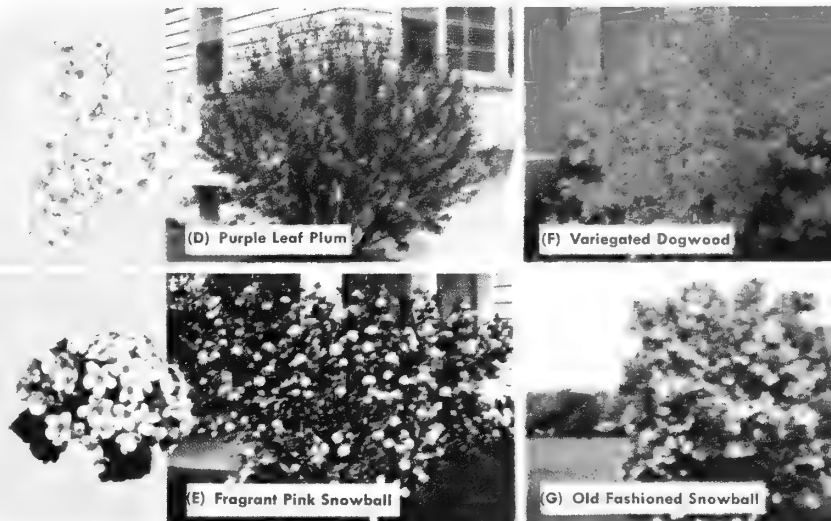
Most trees and shrubs may be planted in Spring or Fall. Keep this book for year 'round ordering.

(F) Variegated Dogwood. (*Cornus alba sibirica goucheaultii*). Large, attractive green leaves have wide border of silvery white. White flowers in late spring. White fruits in late summer. Bright red bark provides winter interest. Compact shape. Stands wet soil. Plant in sun or shade. Hardy all zones. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 5311—18–24 inch size. 3 for \$3.60; Each \$1.25

(G) Old Fashioned Snowball. (*Viburnum opulus sterile*). Tall, rapid growing, compact and bushy. Ball-shaped, white clusters of bloom cover the mature shrub in late spring. Deep green foliage. Plant in sun or shade. Hardy all zones. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 5450—State size. 18–24 in. 3 for \$3.60; Ea. \$1.25 2–3 ft....3 for 4.35; Ea. 1.50

(K) Red Honeysuckle. (*Lonicera Korolkowii zabelii*). Tall growing. A profusion of rose-red, fragrant blossoms in early summer. Small, red berries are attractive to birds. Fast growing in almost any location. Easy to grow in sun or shade. Hardy all Zones. *Shipped Postpaid. State Size*. 91 GB 5315—18–24 inch size.3 for \$2.55; Each 90c 2–3 ft. size....3 for 3.10; Each \$1.10

(L) Beautybush. (*Kolkwitzia amabilis*). A fountain of soft pink, trumpet-shaped flowers cover the shrub in huge clusters in late spring—about peony time. Medium-tall growing. Handsome, broad, upright shrub with arching branches and beautiful light green foliage. Needs good drainage and sun. Plant in sheltered location in zones 8 and 9. *State Size. Shipped Postpaid*. 91 GB 5478—18–24 inch size.3 for \$2.85; Each \$1.00 2–3 ft. size....3 for 3.60; Each 1.25

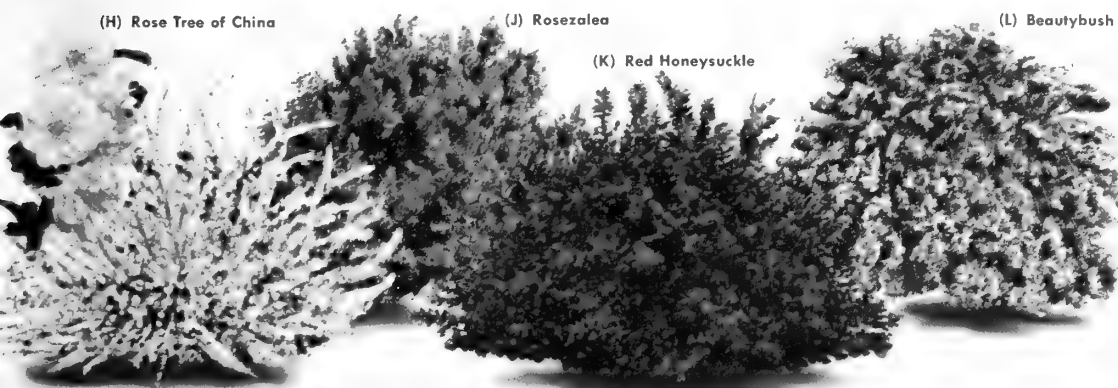


For Earliest Spring Bloom
Forsythia—Low as 95c Ea.

(M) Forsythia. (*Golden Bell*). One of the first shrubs to bloom in spring. Medium to tall growing. Before leaves appear, entire bush is blanketed with flowers. Most beautiful if allowed to grow naturally. Best in zones 3 through 8.

Fortunei. Rich golden yellow blossoms on graceful, upright shrub. Easy to grow. 91 GB 5313—State Size. *Postpaid*. 2–3 ft. size.....Ea. \$1.10; 3 for \$3.10 18–24 in. size....Ea. 95c; 3 for 2.70

Lynwood Gold. Newer variety. Golden yellow blossoms more profuse, full in form. 91 GB 5314—2–3 ft. size. *Postpaid*. Ea....\$1.50 3 for... 4.35





Prize Winning Gladiolus

ALL ARE AT LEAST 4½ INCHES ACROSS
ALL TOP WINNERS IN THEIR COLOR CLASSES

13 Varieties on These 2 Pages—39 Bulbs \$4¹⁵

At Fairs and Garden Shows, or in your own back yard, Glads from these two pages will delight all who see them. These winners are recognized by the North American Gladiolus Council and are all Council-rated as being among the best in their color classes. All are officially classified as being 4½ inches or more across. Each is the result of years of careful breeding and selection to give you larger, fuller spikes with many more florets open at one time. All bloom in midseason unless otherwise indicated. You save more than 38% if you buy this collection instead of individual varieties, and you get three each of every variety pictured. Read "Facts About Wards Gladiolus Bulbs" below.

All 13 Varieties on These 2 Pages. Postpaid.

91 GB 3255—3 of Each Variety.....39 Grade No. 1 Bulbs for \$4.15

Prize Winner Collection—3 each of 9 varieties below.

91 GB 3273—GRADE No. 1 BULBS. Shipped Postpaid.....27 Bulbs for \$2.75

91 GB 3274—GRADE No. 2 BULBS. Shipped Postpaid.....27 Bulbs for 2.25

E 91 GB 3136 — **Polynesia**. Deep salmon with yellow throat. No. 1 in its color class. Heavy textured, 8 slightly ruffled blooms on tall, strong spike. Florets 5½ inches across. Good placement and attachment.

F 91 GB 3118—**Burma**. Heavily ruffled deep rose red. No. 1 in its color class. Seven wide open florets, 5½ inches across, open at one time. Medium height, stiff stemmed.

L 91 GB 3148—**Red Wing**. Rich, velvety, exhibition-type scarlet red, with 10 blooms open and several others showing color. Opens well, spikes produce 22 buds.

G 91 GB 3139—**Aureole**. Ruffled light yellow, opens 6 well placed blooms on tall stem. Texture very heavy. Good commercial or home garden variety. Early midseason.

M 91 GB 3144—**Florence Nightingale**. Highest rated white glad. Opens 6 to 8 5-in. florets at once. Tall plant has excellent substance and perfect placement.

H 91 GB 3104—**Spic and Span**. No. 1 in its color class. Tall ruffled beauty of deep pink with up to 10 florets open at once. Extra strong stem. A consistent winner.

N 91 GB 3120—**Red Charm**. An exhibition and commercial deep red of high merit. This well built cutflower opens 8 to 10 florets at one time. A winner of many high awards.

K 91 GB 3137—**Patrol**. Beautiful clear apricot with yellow throat. Opens ten florets—remaining show color. First in its color class. One of the finest tall varieties for all uses.

P 91 GB 3138 — **King David**. Won four championships in 1954. Royal purple, slightly darker throat, with silver picotee. Opens 8 blooms, each 5½ in., plus 10 buds showing color.

Prices of Above Prize Winning Gladiolus

GRADE 1. Postpaid. State Catalog No. and Grade.....5 of one variety for 75c

GRADE 2. Postpaid. State Catalog No. and Grade.....5 of one variety for 60c

Rainbow Gladiolus Mixture

25 Bulbs for \$1¹⁰ (Grade No. 3)

All Season Cutting Garden

50 Bulbs for \$2⁷⁵

Top quality Gladiolus bulbs. Sure to grow. Offered at these low prices only because they are not labeled as to variety names. All are outstanding varieties. A rainbow mixture—includes yellow, lavender, red, pink and two-tone varieties. Read "Facts" below. Shipped Postpaid.

91 GB 3258—GRADE 1. 25 for \$1.95

91 GB 3259—GRADE 2. 25 for 1.50

91 GB 3260—GRADE 3. 25 for 1.10

The three sizes of bulbs included in this collection will produce flowers at different times, in a gay variety of colors, over a long cutting season. Make a border 10 ft. long, 1½ ft. wide. All are excellent varieties. All bulbs are top quality. Read "Facts" below. Includes 15 bulbs in Grade No. 1, 20 bulbs in Grade No. 2, and 15 in Grade No. 3. Postpaid.

91 GB 3268—All 50 Bulbs for \$2.75

FACTS ABOUT WARDS GLADIOLUS BULBS

All Wards Gladiolus Bulbs are carefully grown, scientifically stored to retain their ability to reproduce large full spikes of bloom. All plump and disease free, and are specially treated to prevent thrips. Gladiolus are among the easiest bulbs to grow, require little care. Thrive in any ordinary garden soil with good drainage, fertilizer and plenty of water throughout the growing period. Plant 6-7 inches apart in spring only, in full sun after danger of frost is past. These varieties bloom 80 to 90 days after planting. Dig bulbs in fall, clean, and store in open trays in a cool, dry place where rodents cannot reach them. See chart Page 84. Bulbs are graded for size according to standards recognized by New England and Illinois Gladiolus Societies. Shipped Postpaid direct from Nursery beginning in January and up to June.

Grade No. 1. Bulbs are 1½ inches or more in diameter. Produce fine, big exhibition type blooms. Sometimes grow more than one spike per bulb.

Grade No. 2. Bulbs are 1¼ to 1½ inches in diameter. Blooms and spikes are somewhat smaller than Grade No. 1 above, but satisfactory in every way.

Grade No. 3. Bulbs are 1 to 1¼ inches in diameter. Blooms and spikes are small and short, but good for cutting. Plant early for best results.

NEWER PRIZE GLADIOLUS —Collection of 12 \$1⁹⁰

These are outstanding varieties among recent developments. Wards finest gladiolus—each one distinguished by unusual petals or color markings. All have long flowering spikes, large full florets. These newer varieties are among the winners at flower shows, and in listings of exceptional varieties. Read "Facts about Wards Gladiolus Bulbs" at right.

91 GB 3254—**Newer Prize Gladiolus Collection**. Includes 3 each of 4 varieties below. Shipped Postpaid. Grade No. 1 Bulbs.....All 12 for \$1.90

A 91 GB 3128 — **Clarence D. Fortnam**. This tall, blush-pink opens eight 5-in. blooms on a 24-in. ruffled flowerhead. Has won prizes as most beautiful, also for best spike in show. Good cut flower for late midseason.

B 91 GB 3130 — **Poinsettia**. High rating at the N.A.G.C. Trial Gardens. Scarlet red, slight deepening in the throat. Tall straight spikes, long flowerheads of 22 buds, 8 open at once. A fine cut flower.

C 91 GB 3146—**The Rajah**. Reddish purple with vivid, sparkling texture. Consistent prize winner. Unusually large florets—often 6 in. across. 8 or 9 flowers open at once. Very tall, strong, husky grower.

D 91 GB 3129—**Leif Erickson**. Only Glad awarded Superior commercial rating at '52 Ohio State Trials. Fine light cream exhibition type. Many florets open at once are 6 in. across. Among 5 best all-purpose glads.

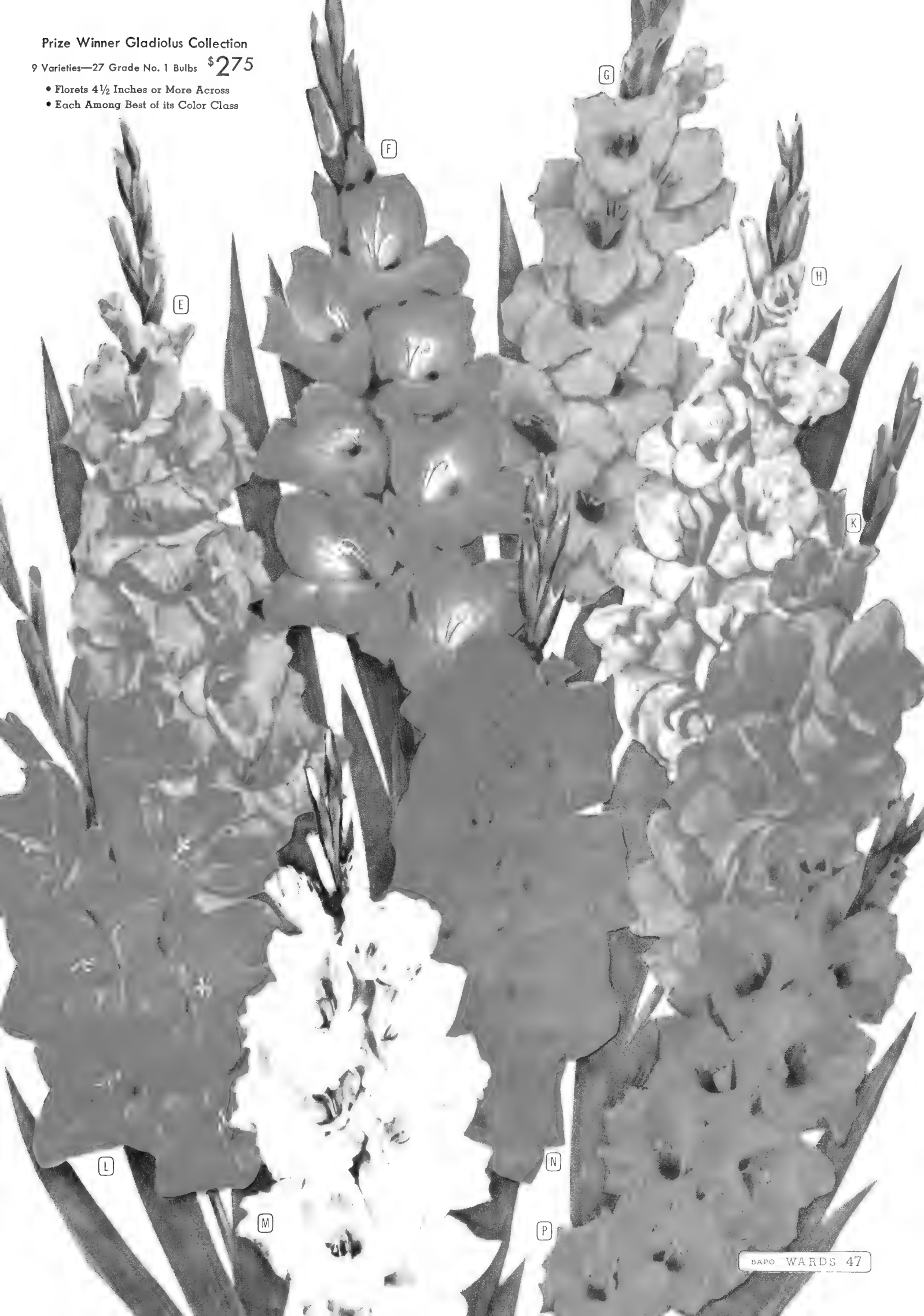
Prices of above Newer Prize Gladiolus. State Cat. No.

GRADE No. 1 Bulbs. Shipped Postpaid.....3 of one variety for 70c

Prize Winner Gladiolus Collection

9 Varieties—27 Grade No. 1 Bulbs \$275

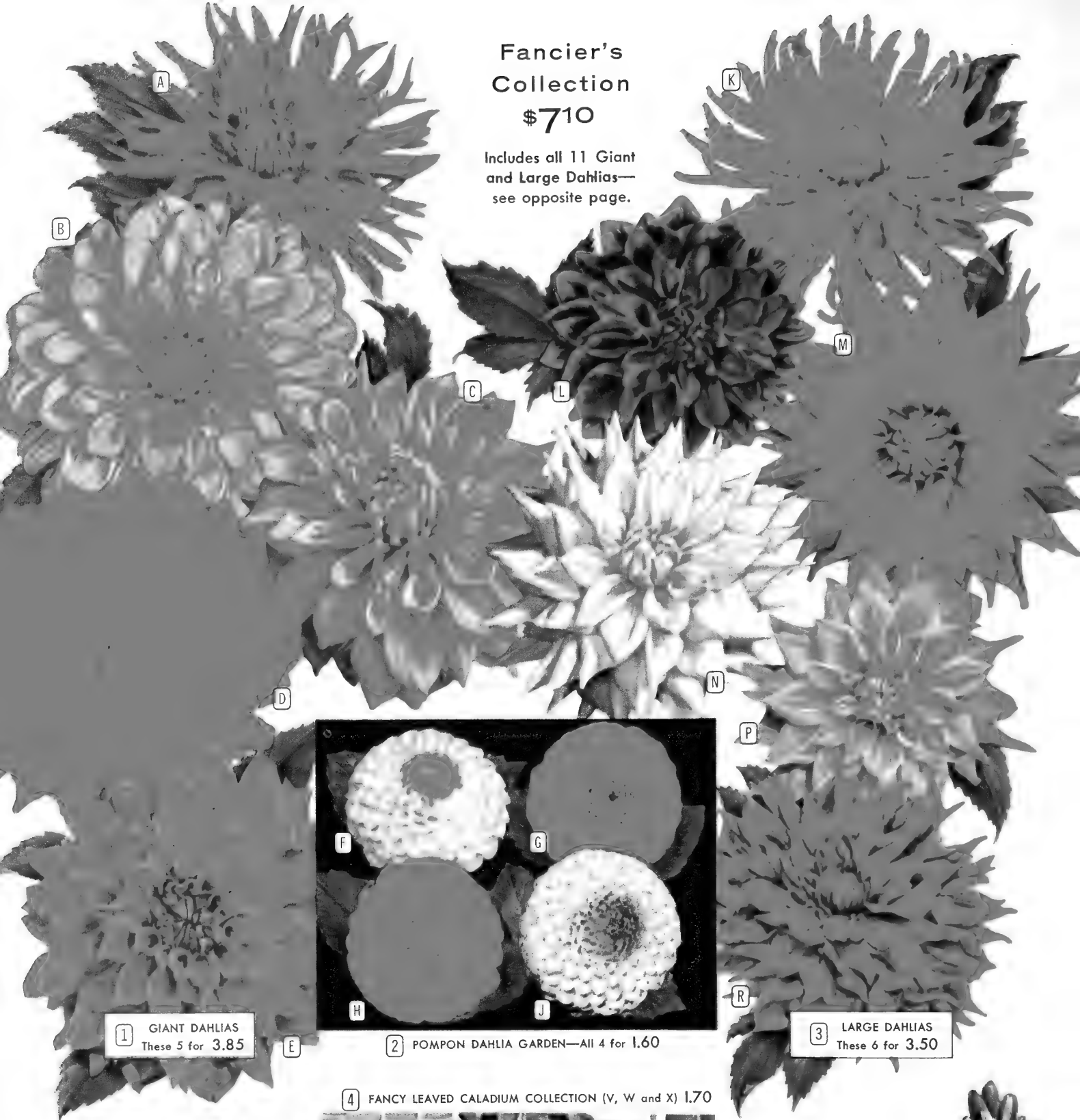
- Florets 4½ Inches or More Across
- Each Among Best of its Color Class



Fancier's Collection

\$710

Includes all 11 Giant
and Large Dahlias—
see opposite page.

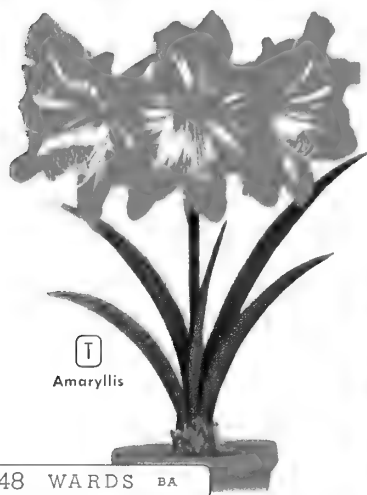
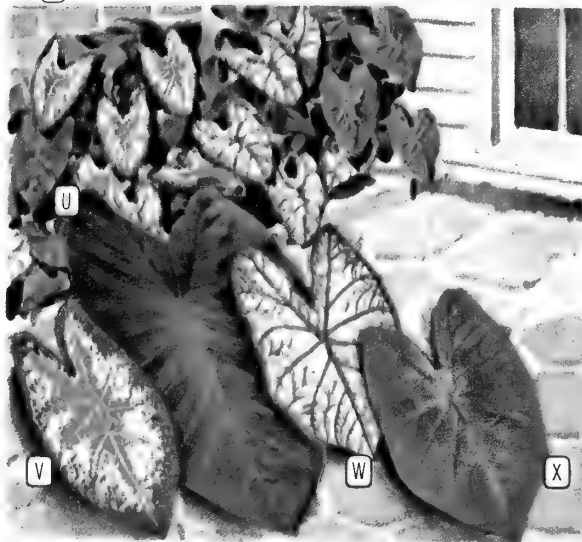


1 GIANT DAHLIAS
These 5 for 3.85

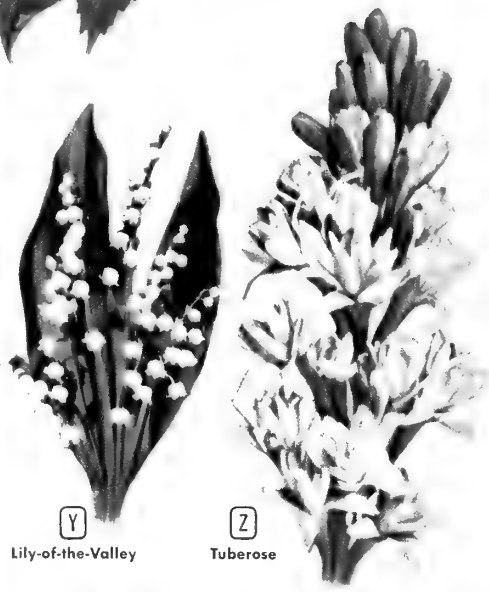
2 POMPON DAHLIA GARDEN—All 4 for 1.60

3 LARGE DAHLIAS
These 6 for 3.50

4 FANCY LEAVED CALADIUM COLLECTION (V, W and X) 1.70



T
Amaryllis



Y
Lily-of-the-Valley

Z
Tuberose

Plant Dahlias for Colorful Late Summer Bloom

SHIPPED POSTPAID IN SPRING ONLY—DO NOT ORDER AFTER JUNE 1st

Bloom from Late Summer Until Killing Frost. For an array of breathtaking color and a delightful fall-ending to your garden, plant Dahlias. All firm, healthy tubers, grow into tall rugged plants—provide maximum quality bloom. Use them back of a border or to fill a sunny corner.

Easy to Grow in Any Soil. Plant in any ordinary well-drained soil in full sun. Protect from strong winds. Plant 6 in. deep, 2-3 ft. apart, in spring after ground has become warm. Protect stalks with stakes, such as sold on Page 17. Dig roots in fall and store. See Page 84 for details.

Exhibition-Type Blooms Are Easy With Dahlias. For larger blooms, pinch off side buds, allowing only center bud on each plant to mature. Blooms should be cut in the early morning or late evening, not during the heat of the day. Blooms will then be in their best form for display purposes.

Giant Dahlias 10-12 Inch Blooms—Garden of 5 for \$3.85

Most spectacular flowers in your late summer and fall garden. Outstanding in size, perfect form and brilliant colors. Favorite flower of many gardeners because of the giant-size blooms they produce; often up to 12 in. in diameter. Every variety here is worthy of honors in Garden Club competition or County Fair. Stake plants for best display.

1 Garden of Giant Dahlias. Includes 1 each of 5 Dahlias listed below.
91 GB 3460—Shipped Postpaid in Spring Only. All 5 for \$3.85

A Skyrocket. Distinctive blooms are bright scarlet color. Winner of several achievement medals. Officially classed semi-cactus type, but many think it should be classed as straight cactus type. Vigorous.
91 GB 3405—10-inch blooms. Postpaid. Each 85c, 3 for \$2.40

B 5 Star General. Blend of light pink and soft canary yellow color. One of the best and largest blends for exhibition. Good grower. Early to bloom, free branching. Formal decorative type.
91 GB 3406—10-inch blooms. Postpaid. Each 85c, 3 for \$2.40

C Ogden Reid. Bright rose color with gold shadings. Produces big exhibition blooms with little special care. Formal decorative type.
91 GB 3407—12-inch blooms. Postpaid. Each 85c, 3 for \$2.40

D California Idol. Big yellow blooms that have fine show record. Easiest of exhibition yellows to grow. Exceptionally strong stems; high, full centers. Flowers have great depth. Informal decorative type.
91 GB 3408—10-12-inch blooms. Postpaid. Each 85c, 3 for \$2.40

E Michael Black. Large reddish-purple blooms. Achievement medal winner. Vigorous grower—fine show flower. Informal decorative type.
91 GB 3409—10-11-inch blooms. Postpaid. Each 85c, 3 for \$2.40

Decorative Pompon Dahlias—Garden of 4 for \$1.60

Smallest of the Dahlias—blooms only 2 inches across. Particularly valuable for cut flowers—make delightful table decorations. Symmetrical, ball-shaped flowers are produced on stiff stems that are long-lasting when cut. Bloom all summer and fall. Plants are medium height, compact and bushy, covered with scores of gay, colorful flowers.

2 Pompon Dahlia Garden. Includes 1 each of 4 Dahlias listed below.
91 GB 3458—Shipped Postpaid in Spring only. All 4 for \$1.60

F 91 GB 3427—Rosa Wilmouth. Lovely rose-pink color. Flowers uniform.

G 91 GB 3429—Amber Queen. Outstanding color. Glowing amber blooms produced abundantly on bushy plants. Beautiful with fall leaves.

H 91 GB 3428—Little Buddy. Soft shade of lemon-yellow. Looks like a shaft of sunlight when viewed from a distance. Blooms profusely.

J 91 GB 3425—Morning Mist. Distinctive blending of white and lavender with deeper shadings of lavender at center.

Prices of Above Pompon Dahlias

All Shipped Postpaid. State Catalog Number. Each 45c, 3 for \$1.25

Amaryllis

Each 70c

T (Hippeastrum). Big, bold blooms 8 inches across and as many as 7 from one bulb. Bloom in summer in the garden or in winter indoors. Flowers 6 to 8 weeks after planting. Makes an attractive sight. Grows to about 18 in. high. Plant 2 weeks apart for a succession of bloom. If planted outdoors lift bulbs in fall. For all zones. Shipped in spring only. Mixed colors only.

91 GB 3644—Postpaid.
Each 70c, 3 for \$1.95

Keep this Book for Year 'round ordering. Consult Wards Zone Map on Page 6. All Wards Nursery Stock shipped Postpaid from nursery.

Fancy Leaved Caladium

Collection of 3 for \$1.70

(*C. picturatum*). Grow to about 18 inches tall and create a stunning effect in the partly shaded bed or border. Easy to grow. Unmatched for cutting; ideal for decorations—make eye-catching centerpieces. Handsome plants for indoor or outdoor planter. Veined and marbled foliage. Large, colorful leaves are as ornamental as any flower. Thrive in all zones, but bulbs must be dug before frost, dried and stored. Plant in part shade in spring only.

4 Fancy Leaved Caladium Collection. Includes 1 each of V, W, X.
91 GB 3605—Shipped Postpaid in spring only. 3 for \$1.70

V 91 GB 3602—Mrs. W. B. Haldeman. Large, pink centers with green margins. Bushy plant. Beautiful with other varieties.

W 91 GB 3603—Candidum. Leading white and green pot-plant variety for indoors. Very attractive, compact growth.

X 91 GB 3606—Spangled Banner. Red leaf with dark ribs and splashes of pink. Makes a superb display in the garden.

Prices of Above Caladium—Postpaid

State Catalog Number. Each 65c, 3 for \$1.80

U Elephant's Ear. (*Colocasia esculenta*). Grows 4 to 6 ft. tall. A tropical looking plant with huge, heart-shaped leaves 3 ft. long and 1½ ft. wide. Plant in sun or shade in spring only. Must be stored in winter. Easy to grow.
91 GB 3601—Shipped Postpaid. 2 for 60c, 6 for \$1.65

Fancier's Collection of Prize Dahlia—11 for \$7.10

Prize Collection of leading Dahlia varieties. You'll be delighted with the range of sizes, types and colors. Includes all of the five Giant Dahlias (A) through (E) and Large Dahlias (K) through (R). Almost all of these have been awarded prizes or honorable mention at Garden Shows and County Fairs. Labeled for variety name. \$8.45 Value.

91 GB 3463—You save \$1.35. Shipped Postpaid. All 11 for \$7.10

Large Flowering Dahlias—7-10 Inch Blooms—6 for \$3.50

Bloom profusely on strong stems. Tall growing—sometimes to 6 ft. Flowers 7- to 10 in. across, grow larger if side shoots are pinched off, allowing only center bud to develop. An interesting size for fence-line plantings. Try them at the back of your fall flower border to harmonize with chrysanthemums. Stake plants for most striking garden display.

3 Garden of Large-Flowering Dahlias. Includes 1 each of 6 Dahlias below.
91 GB 3453—Shipped Postpaid. Garden of 6 for \$3.50

K Oakleigh Champion. Blend of autumn shades—soft orange buff overlaid with light pink and a trace of purple deep in the flower. Artistic in form with long twisted petals; long, stiff stems. Appears on three honor rolls and is an achievement medal winner. In-curved cactus type.
91 GB 3421—9-in. blooms. Postpaid. Each 70c, 3 for \$1.95

L Man O' War. Dark blood-red blooms. Grows unusually tall on sturdy cane-like stems. Vigorous grower. Formal decorative type.
91 GB 3422—8-in. blooms. Postpaid. Each 70c, 3 for \$1.95

M New Look. Striking yellow color. Strong grower. Plants grow to 6 feet tall. Abundant bloom. Semi-cactus type.
91 GB 3419—10-in. blooms. Postpaid. Each 70c, 3 for \$1.95

N Michigan White. One of the best white Dahlias. Bloom profusely even in hot weather. Flowers have good substance. As many as 18 to 25 flowers open at one time on one plant. Continuously shoots out long stems by the dozen. Excellent for cutting. Semi-cactus type.
91 GB 3444—8-in. blooms. Postpaid. Each 70c, 3 for \$1.95

P William H. Taft. Rose-pink blooms with shades of rose on reverse of petals. Strong stems—tall grower. Formal decorative type.
91 GB 3420—8-in. blooms. Postpaid. Each 70c, 3 for \$1.95

R Gertrude Britton. Bright, lively, geranium red blooms that hold their color well. Do not turn blue or black. Beautiful formal decorative type.
91 GB 3418—7-in. blooms. Postpaid. Each 70c, 3 for \$1.95

Dahlia Surprise Garden—4 Colorful Varieties \$1.35

Let us choose the varieties—you'll be surprised and delighted to receive four fine quality Dahlias in a complete range of colors. Same excellent varieties sold elsewhere on this page. Values from 45c to 85c each.

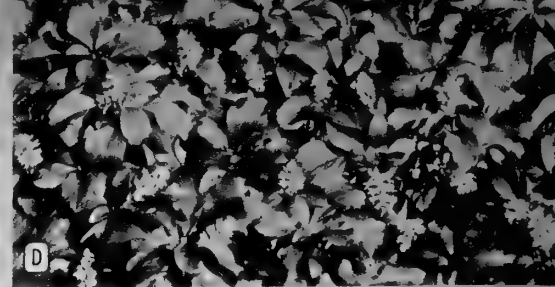
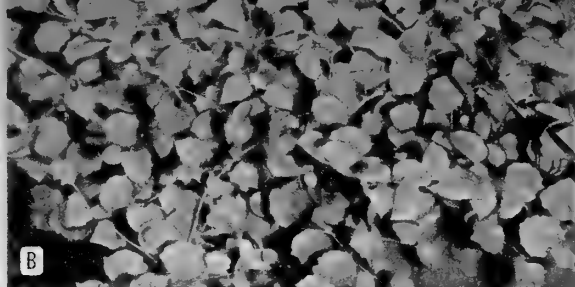
91 GB 3454—Not Labeled. Shipped Postpaid. 4 Dahlias for \$1.35

Hardy Lily-of-the-Valley

3 Large Clumps for \$1.75

Y (Convallaria majalis.) Bloom early spring. Low. Perfect for damp and shady places. Hardy almost everywhere, in almost any type of soil. Multiplies rapidly. Produces flowers abundantly for many years. Easy to grow, makes a very good ground cover for the north side of the house. Fragrant bell-shaped white flowers, attractive green leaves. Plant 4 to 6 in. apart in spring only. We ship large, healthy 5-pip clumps; late in season, 6 or 8 single pips may be substituted. Postpaid.
91GB2500—One 5-pip clump 65c, 3 clumps \$1.75

Z Tuberose. (*Pollanthes tuberosa*). Grows to 24 inches tall. Blooms late in the summer and fall. Flower clusters are most beautiful at night. The waxy white petals appear luminous. This variety has the sweetest fragrance of all Tuberose. One stalk often perfumes an entire room. Especially fragrant in the evening. Graceful, long, strong stems. Highly prized as cut flowers. Plant in spring in well drained, sunny location, after all danger of frost is passed. Dig bulbs and store before frost in the fall. See Chart on Page 84 for winter care.
91 GB 3600—Postpaid.
4 for 85c. 10 for \$1.75



Beautify Difficult Spots With These Plants

Ground Covers Hold Soil, Beautify Grassless Areas—Low as 25 for \$4⁹⁵

A **Large leaf Winter Creeper.** (*Euonymus Radicans Vegetus*). Can be used as a ground cover, creeping vine 3-6 feet or an excellent dwarf shrub. Grows equally well in sun or shade. Evergreen, dark green thick leaves, produces bright scarlet berries. Hardy in zones 1 through 7. Plant 2 to 3 feet apart. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 5543. . . . Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.70

B **Dwarf Polygonum** (*Reynowtria*). These colorful plants are quickly established. Best suited to full sunlight. Fragrant, pink sprays bloom late in summer, from red buds. Small heart-shaped leaves turn crimson in fall. Plant 12 to 15 in. apart in ordinary soil. Hardy zones 1 through 8. Protect in zone 8. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 5514. . . . Each \$1.15; 3 for \$3.15

C **Vinca Minor.** Periwinkle. Improved Bowles Variety. Best suited to shady areas, under shrubs or trees. Blooms profusely in spring, intermittently until fall. Luxuriant glossy green foliage. Plant 10-12 in. apart. Hardy all zones. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 2335—Red. . . 2 for \$1.10, 6 for \$2.95
91 GB 2336—White. 2 for 1.10, 6 for 2.95
91 GB 2338—Blue. . 2 for 1.10, 6 for 2.95

D **Pachysandra** (*terminalis*). An excellent evergreen ground cover. Quick spreading. Forms broad mats of thick glossy foliage. Plant 6 in. apart. One of the best covers for shaded or partly shaded places. Hardy in all zones. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 2630—Bareroot. . . . 25 for \$4.95; 50 for \$8.95. . . . 100 for 15.00

Ferns for Cool, Shady Spots—Collection of 4 for \$1⁵⁰

Plant ferns in shade where neither grass nor flowers will grow; turn neglected corners into beauty spots. Fine on the north side of the house or under trees. Plant 12 to 18 in. apart in well-drained soil, during the spring or fall. Hardy in all Zones.

91 GB 2514—Collection of 4. One each below. *Postpaid*. . . 4 for \$1.50

E 91 GB 2512—**Maidenhair.** (*Adiantum cuneatum*). Wiry, slender, black stems with delicate green fronds. Very attractive. A favorite for its fine lacy texture. Protect in severe climates.

91 GB 2511—**Goldies.** (*Dryopteris goldiana*). Broad, bright green fronds with arching, spreading habit. Best in deep shade.

91 GB 2510—**Ostrich.** (*Pteritis nodulosa*). Long feathery, graceful fronds. Dense foliage and long spires. Tall growing.

91 GB 2513—**Interrupted.** (*Osmunda claytoniana*). Broad, light green fronds. Good for sun and shade. Does best in moist soil, but grows in dry ground. Good foundation planting.

Prices of Above Ferns State Cat. No. *Postpaid*. . . . 2 for 85c

Wards Monthly Payment Plan

Use your credit to get the nursery stock you want, now. No need to disturb your savings, or wait until you have the full amount of cash on hand. Buy now, and pay later. Complete your planting program this year. Don't miss another growing season. The value and beauty of nursery stock increases with age. Landscaping greatly increases the resale value of your property, and adds to the enjoyment of outdoor living.

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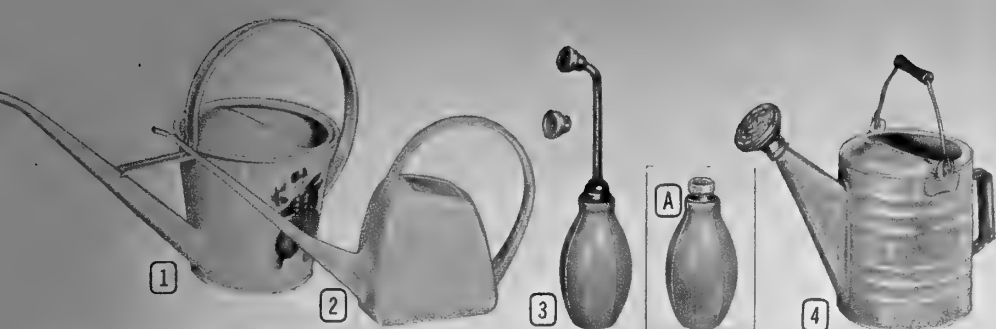
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17.51 to 20.00	2.00		150.01 to 160.00	16.00	12.00
20.01 to 23.00	2.30		160.01 to 170.00	18.00	
23.01 to 26.00	2.60		170.01 to 180.00	19.00	13.00
26.01 to 29.00	2.90		180.01 to 190.00	20.00	14.00
29.01 to 32.00	3.20		190.01 to 200.00	21.00	
32.01 to 35.00	3.50		200.01 to 210.00	22.00	15.00
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40.01 to 45.00	4.50		220.01 to 230.00	24.00	16.00
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60.01 to 65.00	6.50	7.00	260.01 to 270.00	32.00	
65.01 to 70.00	7.00		270.01 to 280.00	33.00	18.00
70.01 to 75.00	7.50	8.00	280.01 to 290.00	35.00	
75.01 to 80.00	8.00		290.01 to 300.00	36.00	19.00
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- 1 New Metal Watering Can.** Graceful contemporary design in yellow, pink, turquoise or black. State color. Wt. 2 lbs. 8 oz. 89 GB 2239—2-Qt. Size..... **\$1.89**
- 2 Lightweight Plastic.** State: yellow, green, black. Wt. 2 lbs. 89 GB 2238—1-Qt. Size..... **89c**

Plant Sprinklers \$1.25 8 Oz.

- 3 Bulb Type.** Excellent for watering and dusting house plants. May be used with or without interchangeable sprinkler and insecticide head (see A above). 89 GB 2229—12-Oz. Size Shipping weight 1 lb..... **\$1.69**
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Sprinkling Can \$2.59 8 Qt.

- 4 Hot-dipped galv. can** won't rust, corrode. Pannel spout, unbreakable brass cap. Solid galv. hdl. instead of wire type shown. 89 GB 2277 M—8-Qt. Size. Ship. wt. 3 lbs. 8 oz. **\$2.59**
- 89 GB 2278 M—10-Qt. Size. Ship. wt. 4 lbs..... **\$2.89**



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New Acme Hoz-It-On Insecticides. With reusable sprayer applicators. Simply attach to hose and spray. *Postpaid.*

Lawn Insect Killer. Contains 16% Chlor-dane—kills ants, grubs, chiggers, etc. 89 GBP 2774—1 Pint. With Applicator **\$2.00**

89 GBP 2775—1-Quart Refill..... **2.75**

Flower, Shrub Spray. Contains 10% DDT-5% Malathion. Controls mites, thrips, etc. 89 GBP 2776—1 Pint. With Applicator **\$2.00**

89 GBP 2777—1-Quart Refill..... **2.75**

Red Spider Spray. Contains Dimite—kills mites on evergreens, shade trees, roses, etc. 89 GBP 2778—1 Pint with Applicator.. **\$1.75**

89 GBP 2779—1-Quart Refill..... **2.25**



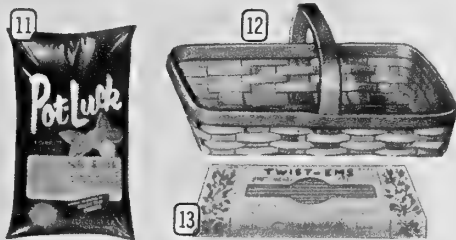
- 5 Pin Frog Flower Holders.** Rustproof, permanent green composition. Extra long, close set pins. 1 each 4 1/4-in. diam., 2 3/4-in. diam., 2-in. diam. 89 GB 2196—Ship. wt. 2 lbs.....Set of 3 **\$1.69**

- 6 Plastic Flower Holders.** Weighted base, green dome type frogs. 1 ea. 4 3/8 in., 3 1/4-in. diam. 89 GB 2195—Ship. wt. 10 oz.....Set of 2 **89c**

- 7 Floralife.** Adds 5 to 10 days to life of cut flowers. 89 GBP 2284—Makes 30 quarts. *Postpaid.* **\$1.00**

- 8 New Peat Pots.** Insert plant or seed; plant pot—roots grow through it. Ship. wt. 4 lbs., 3 lbs. 89 GB 2208—3-in. diam. (circular)....100 for **\$2.19**
- 89 GB 2207—1 3/4 in. square.....100 for **1.59**

- Paper Pots.** Waterproof—use for starting plants. 89 GB 2202—3-in. diam. Wt. 1 lb. 8 oz....50 for **\$1.10**



- 9 10 Flower Shears.** Hold flower until released. Wts. 12 oz., 10 oz. Stainless steel blades. (9) 89 GB 2201—10 in., chrome plated.Ea. **\$1.89**
- (10) 89 GB 2209—6 in., nickel plated..Ea. **89c**

- 11 Pot Luck Potting Soil.** Blend of rich, black soil, peat moss, fertilizer, essential elements. 89 GB 2575—2 lbs. Ship. wt. 2 lbs.....**29c**
- 89 GB 2576—4 lbs. Ship. wt. 4 lbs.....**49c**
- 89 GB 2577—8 lbs. Ship. wt. 8 lbs.....**89c**

- 12 Handmade Oak Basket.** Fine long-grained hand-cut Oak. Takes excellent stain, varnish. 89GB2270 M—13 by 20 in. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 8 oz. **\$1.69**

- 13 Twist-Em's.** Flexible wire covered with green tape for fastening plants to supports. *Postpaid.* 89 GB 2199—8-in. size.....100 for **29c**
- 89 GB 2200—16-in. size.....100 for **55c**



- 19 Jiffy Planter.** For planting bulbs and small plants. Sharp edge cuts core, forces soil out top. *Mail.* 89 GB 2206 M—40 in. long. Ship. wt. 5 lbs.....**\$2.98**

- 20 Bulb Planter.** Twist handle—forms hole for bulbs. 89 GB 2205—Steel, wood handle. Ship. wt. 1 lb.....**98c**

- 21 Fruit Picker.** Metal fingers pick fruit without bruising. 89 GB 2241—Use with 3/4-in. pole. Ship. wt. 2 lbs.....**98c**

- 22 Airwrap Kit.** Develop your own plants by air-layer method. Includes ties, plastic "Airwrap" with plant food; insecticide; fungicide and sphagnum moss. 89 GB 2251—Ship. wt. 1 lb.....**\$1.95**

- 23 Woodman's Tree Paint and Grafting Compound.** For pruning, surgery, grafting. Stays elastic—seals tight. 89 GB 2246—1 Qt. Ship. wt. 3 lbs.....**\$1.09**
- 89 GB 2247 M—1 Gal. Ship. wt. 11 lbs..... **2.98**

- 24 Tree Tanglefoot.** Keeps insects from leaves, fruit, etc. Makes about 20 ft. of 2-in. bands. Non-drying. 89 GBP 2845—1-Lb. Can. *Postpaid.*.....**\$1.50**



- 14 "Off" Insect and Mosquito Repellent.** Handy aerosol bomb. Spray on skin or clothing. Formula developed, recommended by U.S. Dept. of Agriculture. *Postpaid.* 89 GBP 2861—5-Oz. Size Can. Ship. wt. 10 oz..**\$1.19**

- 15 Heavy-Duty Rubber Knee Pads.** Molded contour fits any knee. Sponge-rubber cushion insert. 89 GB 2204—Adj. strap. Ship. wt. 2 lbs..Pair **\$1.89**

- 16 Lightweight Knee Pads.** Form-fitting sponge rubber 3/8 in. thick. Strap molded pad. 89 GB 2203—Metal buckle. Ship. wt. 1 lb. Pair **\$1.45**

- 17 Green Thumb Garden Gloves.** Chammois-colored. Green piping. Vinyl-treated to prevent passage of dirt; smooth, flannel-like inside. *Washable.* 89 GBP 2226—WOMEN'S Small, Medium or Large Size. State size. *Postpaid.*.....Pair **98c**
- 89 GBP 2227—MEN'S. Available in one standard size which fits most hands. *Postpaid.*.....Pair **98c**

- 18 Ladies' Garden Gloves.** Green with brown and tan color fabric; sanforized. Standard size—fits most hands. Gauntlet cuff. *Washable.* 89 GBP 2228. *Postpaid.*.....Pair **59c**

Use Wards Tags and Labels For Careful, Simplified Plant Marking 25c to \$2.39

- 25 26 Ty-On Tags and Garden Markers.** Aluminum won't fade, rust or wash off. Imprint with pencil or pen.

(25) **PLANT MARKERS.** 10 markers 1 by 2 1/2 in. and 10 stakes 1/2 by 6 1/2 in. Simply insert marker in top of slotted stakes and press into soil. Use pencil or ballpoint pen to print. 89 GBP 2193—*Postpaid.*.....20 pieces for **50c**

(26) **TY-ON PLANT TAGS.** Hole in end for inserting wire or string to attach labels to plant. Size 1 by 2 1/2 in. 89 GBP 2192—*Postpaid.*.....25 tags for **25c**

Combination Tag and Marker Set. Includes 20 sets of Markers (25) and 40 Tags (26) as described above. 89 GBP 2194—*Postpaid.*.....**\$1.39**

27 Inexpensive Wood Pot Labels. For potted plants or seed flats. Size 5/8 by 4 in. Painted white. 89 GB 2188—Ship. wt. 10 oz.....100 for **75c**

28 Copper-Wired Labels. Smoothly sanded wood, coated with white paint. Double copper wire. 1/2 by 3 in. 89 GB 2191—Ship. wt. 10 oz.....100 for **75c**

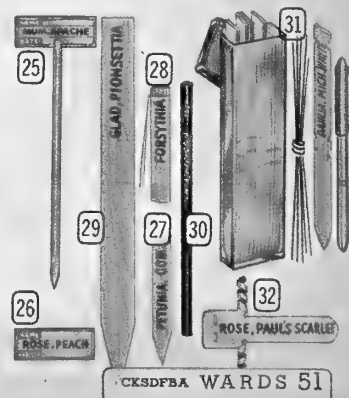
29 Wood Garden Labels. Sanded; dip-painted white. 89 GB 2190—1 1/8x1 1/2 in. Wt. 2 lbs....100 labels for **\$2.39**

89 GB 2189—7/8x8 in. Ship. wt. 12 oz....100 labels for **1.35**

30 Waterproof Pencils. Ship. wts. ea. 1 oz.; 4 oz. 89 GB 2197—2 for **29c**.....12 for **\$1.39**

31 Marking Kit. 24 wood stakes convert to 48 wood labels. 89 GB 2187—Copper wire and pen. Ship. wt. 7 oz..**\$1.29**

32 Durable Zinc Labels. Etched inscriptions legible for 15 years. Fluid with applicator and instructions. Flat 2 metal tabs wind around branch. 89 GB 2198—Ship. wt. 12 oz.....24 for **95c**



Easy-Rolling 5-Gal. Cart Sprayer \$35⁹⁵

4 For Insecticides, Weed Killers, Disinfectants and Whitewash. Tubular steel cart rolls easily on roller bearing wheels and semi-pneumatic tires. Heavy galvanized steel tank; seamless brass pump. Specially designed sealing cap forms safety pressure release.

Adjustable brass nozzle for fine mist or solid stream. Automatic trigger control shut-off valve. 11 ft. 3/8-in. sprayer hose, air pressure gauge and 2 ft. brass curved extension. Shipped promptly from Stock by Freight, Truck or Express. Use Boom (5) for weed killers.

89 GB 3024 R—Ship. wt. 34 lbs. \$35.95

5 3-Nozzle Boom for Spraying Weed Killers. Use with above; sprayers on opposite page; and wheelbarrow sprayers. 24-in. brass extension. Nozzles are 15 in. apart (see view at left). Rubber hand grip. 1/4-in. female thread. Ship. wt. 3 lbs.

89 GB 3089 M. \$6.39

Garden Hose Sprayer \$5³⁵

1 Apply Insecticides the Easy Way—just attach unit to garden hose, insert cartridge (below) and spray in mist or stream. Shut off control. 12-in. angle extension, adjustable nozzle. Chrome plated to resist corrosion.

89 GB 2999—Order cartridges separately below. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 12 oz. \$5.35

2 Concentrated Cartridges. Insecticides, Fungicides and Cleaner. Use with Sprayer above or Weed-O-Spray Kit (3) below. Each cartridge makes 5 to 8 gal. of spray. Order at least 3 each to insure sufficient quantity for season.

Ship. wt. ea. 5 oz. Each 33c

89 GB 2725—ARSEN-O-SPRAY—(arsenate of lead) for chewing insects.

89 GB 2726—CHLORDANESPRAY. For ants, cutworms, beetles, grubs in turf.

89 GB 2727—CLEANSWELL—(soap). For washing cars and painted surfaces. Dissolves grease, removes grit.

89 GB 2728—DDT SPRAY—For control of Japanese Beetle, Tent Caterpillar, Rose Chafer, and chewing insects.

89 GB 2729—LINDANESPRAY. For aphids, leaf-miners, midges, and thrips. Do not use on edible fruits and vegetables.

3 Weed-O-Spray Kit. Includes combination cartridge, holder and nozzle plus 2 Weed-O-Spray Cartridges containing 2, 4-D weed killer.

89 GB 3000—Attach to garden hose. Ship. wt. 12 oz. \$1.49

89 GB 2730—NIC-O-SPRAY—For control of Aphids, Mites, Leaf Hopper, Leaf Miner, Mealy Bug, Oyster Shell Scale.

89 GB 2731—P-R SPRAY. Controls sucking and chewing insects such as Aphids, Worms, Blister Beetle. Non-poisonous.

89 GB 2732—SULPH-O-SPRAY—For rust, black spot, mildew and red spider.

89 GB 2733—VITAMIN B₁—Stimulates plant growth and induces blooming.

89 GB 2734—WEED-O-SPRAY—2, 4-D weed killer. For Poison Ivy, Poison Oak, Dandelion, Plantain, Chickweed, etc.

Speedo Sprayers for Use With Garden Hose \$5⁴⁹ Deluxe Model

12 to 14 Make spraying easy—just place insecticide or plant food in jar, fill with water and attach to hose. Nylon automatic mixing control head—water pressure does all the work. Polyethylene suction tube and jar gasket. Sturdy spray head withstands all chemicals. Mailable.

(12) Deluxe Model. Makes 6 gal. mixed spray. Pistol-grip handle. Automatic fingertip control. Mason jar included. 89 GB 2991—Ship. wt. 2 lbs. \$5.49

(13) Makes 3 Gal. Mixed Spray. Fingertip "on-off" control. 89 GB 2992—With Mason jar. Ship. wt. 1 lb. \$2.19

(14) Makes 20 Gal. Mixed Spray. Ideal for fertilizers. 1 pt. delivered with each 20 gal. water. Fingertip control. 89 GB 2993—With Mason jar. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 8 oz. \$2.35

Acme 50% Malathion Spray. Controls flies, mosquitoes, mites and many insects which attack flowers, vegetables, fruit trees and plants under glass. Phosphate-type spray. 89 GB 2762—4 Oz. Postpaid. \$1.25

89 GB 2763—1 Pint. Postpaid. 2.98

Acme 5% DDT Dust. Insecticide for potato bugs, flea beetles, leaf-hoppers, cabbage worms, onion thrips, etc. Protects potatoes, onions, corn, cabbage, other related crops. 89 GB 2771—1 Lb. Postpaid. 59c

89 GB 2772—4 Lbs. Postpaid. \$1.35

Acme 45% Chlordane Spray. For household pests, lawn insects, army worms, maggots, termites, and other insects in flower garden soil. Kills insects by contact or when eaten. 89 GB 2787—8 Oz. Postpaid. \$1.15

89 GB 2788—1 Qt. Postpaid. 2.98

Acme 6% Chlordane Dust. A powerful, effective insecticide for cutworm, earwigs, slugs, snails, grubs, ants, chiggers, cockroaches, silverfish, crickets and others. 89 GB 2753—1 lb. Postpaid. 65c

89 GB 2754—4 lbs. Postpaid. \$1.65

Acme Pestroy 25% DDT. Odorless base emulsion. For plants and livestock. Controls chewing and sucking insects on plants; for horn fly, ticks, lice, flies, mosquitoes; outdoor areas. 89 GB 2743—1 Quart. Postpaid. \$1.69

89 GB 2744 M—1 Gallon. Postpaid. 5.25

Dogzoff. Protects trees and shrubs against damage from dogs. Non-poisonous to animals. 89 GB 2279—3 oz. Postpaid. 59c

52 WARDS CBA2 89 GB 2280—11-oz. "Button" bomb. Ppd. \$1.89

Acme All 'Round Spray. Contains 5% DDT, .75% R rotenone, 20% Sulphur and 15% Ziram. Protects against insects and fungus on flowers, vegetables, fruits and ornamentals. 89 GB 2745—1 lb. Postpaid. \$1.29

89 GB 2746—3 lbs. Postpaid. 2.45

Acme All 'Round Dust Gun. Plastic squeeze duster. 2 insecticides and 2 fungicides combined for control of common insects and plant diseases of vegetables, flowers, bushes. Use Acme All 'Round Spray above for refill. 89 GB 2766—Postpaid. Each \$1.19

Acme Garden Guard. Spray or dust. Non-poisonous. Use to control wide range of chewing and sucking insects on garden vegetables right up to picking time. 89 GB 2751—1 lb. Postpaid. 69c

89 GB 2752—4 lbs. Postpaid. \$1.75

Acme Tomato Dust. Controls early and late blight, hornworm, fruit worm and flea beetle. Contains Copper Arsenate and Sulphate. Won't harm plants. Postpaid. 89 GB 2767—8-oz. Dust Gun. 89c

89 GB 2773—1-Lb. Refill. 79c

Acme Rose Dust. Fungicide and insecticide especially developed for use on blackspot, mildew, red spider, and all pests that attack roses. Use as dust or spray. 89 GB 2768—8-Oz. Squeeze Gun. Ppd. \$1.39

89 GB 2761—2-lb. Refill. Postpaid. 2.25

Acme Arsenate of Lead. 98% concentrate, combination insecticide and fungicide. For chewing insects on fruit trees, shade trees, tobacco, berry bushes, etc. Postpaid. 89 GB 2758—1 lb. (Makes 33 gals.) 98c

89 GB 2759—4 lbs. (Makes 132 gals.) \$1.98

Acme Fruit Tree Spray. Combination insecticide and fungicide for all fruit trees. Use 'til harvest time for highest possible percentage of top quality harvest results. 89 GB 2769—12 Oz. Postpaid. \$1.45

89 GB 2770—2 Lbs. Postpaid. 3.25

Acme Dimite. For quick kill of Red Spider, other mites. Kills newly-hatched mites by long residual action and prevents re-population for several weeks. Safe on tender foliage. Deepens green color of foliage. 89 GB 2740—2 oz. Postpaid. 79c

Acme Wettable Dusting Sulphur. Fungicide and miticide with wetting agent. For powdery mildew, black spot, leaf spot, etc. Controls mites, red spider and chiggers on flowers, vegetables and fruit trees. 89 GB 2757—2 lbs. Postpaid. 85c

Acme Bordeaux Mix. Copper fungicide. Prevents mildew, black-spot and blight on vegetables, certain fruits and flowers plus a wide variety of trees and plants. 89 GB 2749—1 lb. Postpaid. 95c

89 GB 2750—4 lbs. Postpaid. \$1.98

Acme Duradust. Contains 50% wetttable DDT. Protects orchards and crops against hoppers, flea beetles, aphids, thrips and others. Also destroys flies and mosquitoes. 89 GB 2747—1 lb. Postpaid. \$1.10

89 GB 2748—4 lbs. Postpaid. 1.98

"Raid" Insecticide Spray Bomb. New Johnson's Wax household and garden bug killer. Clears rooms of flies, mosquitoes, other flying insects. Kills aphids, mites, thrips and other garden pests. Postpaid. 89 GB 2865—14-oz. Aerosol Bomb. \$1.59



15-Gal. Cart Sprayer \$149.00 1 1/4-HP Engine

15 Garden Mark Big enough for truck garden, estate, nursery or small orchard. Powerful 1-cylinder pump driven by 1 1/4-HP nationally advertised engine develops adjustable pressure up to 250 lbs., delivers 2 gal. per min. Paddle agitator and stainless steel piston. Oilite bearings. Large filler opening with built-in screen. Plastic coated inside tank.

Drain plug. 12 1/2-ft. oil-resistant spray hose. Spray gun adjusts from mist to solid stream. Copper, white and black colors. 12 x 1.75 semi-pneumatic rubber tires. 21 in. to top of tank, 19 1/2 in. wide, 46 in. long overall. Shipped by Freight from Factory near Waterloo, Iowa; pay charges from there. Allow 2 weeks plus transit time.

89 GB 3048 F—Ship. wt. 136 lbs. \$15 Down. Cash \$149.00

16 Garden Mark 15-Gal. Cart Sprayer with Electric Motor. Like above except has 1/2-HP, 110-120 volt 60-cycle AC motor. Shipped from same factory as above.

89 GB 3049 F—Ship. wt. 168 lbs. \$17 Down. Cash \$169.00

16 Garden Mark Deluxe Manganese Bronze Wide-Mouth Sprayer. Made of durable manganese bronze—an alloy superior to stainless steel, brass or copper for use with any known garden insecticide. Looks like polished copper—stays that way with no extra care.

Easy-access wide mouth opening for quick, easy filling and complete cleaning. 29 1/2 in. high, 7 1/2 in. diam. Long 40-in. rubber hose and 24-in. curved extension rod for spraying under leaves. Clips hold extension upright against tank side for storage. Adjustable nozzle for fine mist or coarse spray. Comfortable web carrying strap. Mailed promptly from Factory in Utica, N.Y.; pay charges from there.

89 GB 2933 K—Ship. wt. 12 lbs. \$2.50 Dn. on Terms, Cash \$24.95

Funnel Top Sprayers \$6.49 to \$7.59

- (A) Seamless brass pump 1 1/4-in. diameter resists corrosion.
- (B) Galvanized rust-resistant steel tank, electrically welded.
- (C) Rolled safety edge around Funnel Top protects fingers.
- (D) Brass extension rod curved for spraying underside of foliage.
- (E) Comfortable web carrying strap on 3 1/2 and 4-Gal. Sprayers; lighter size sprayers have carrying handle.
- (F) Adjustable non-clog nozzle sprays fine mist or coarse stream.
- (G) 30 in. of oil-resistant hose and non-kink guard spring.

17 Garden Mark Compressed air provides continuous spray. Easy to use, gives quick, complete coverage. Durably constructed tank, tested to 100 lbs. pressure—designed to give quick, easy coverage, years of satisfactory service. Use to spray insecticides, fungicides, weed killers and water soluble plant food in vegetable gardens, flower beds, lawns and young orchards.

Extension rod clips to tank in upright position for safe, quick storage. Trigger control handle with automatic shut-off, fits palm of hand for ease of operation, leaving other hand free. Adjustable, easy to clean nozzle insures continuous, trouble-free operation. Mailable.

3 1/2-Gal. Funnel Top Sprayer. Our most popular size. Comfortable adjustable web carrying strap with extra-long 24-in. extension rod.

89 GB 2931 M—Ship. wt. 11 lbs. \$7.59

2-Gal. Funnel Top Sprayer. Plunger locks into position to form convenient top carrying handle. Complete with 12-in. extension rod.

89 GB 2930—Ship. wt. 7 lbs. \$6.69

1 1/2-Gal. Funnel Top Sprayer. Like 2-Gal. Sprayer above but in size and weight preferred by women gardeners. An ideal lightweight sprayer for all your spraying needs. Easy to carry and convenient to use.

89 GB 2929—Ship. wt. 6 lbs. \$6.49

Wide Mouth Sprayers \$9.49 to \$10.95

- Wide Mouth top opening permits thorough cleaning and easy removal of chemical residue—means longer life—easier to fill.
- All top quality Garden Mark features of Sprayer (17) above.

18 Garden Mark Easy-Access Wide Mouth Opening and "D" Handle for greater pumping ease. Designed to give you faster, better coverage. Large opening permits entrance of hand or arm. Galvanized steel tank with electrically welded seams and rolled top safety edge. Seamless brass pump 1 1/4-in. diam. locks securely to tank. Trigger-control handle with automatic shut-off fits palm of hand. Adjustable nozzle sprays fine mist or coarse stream.

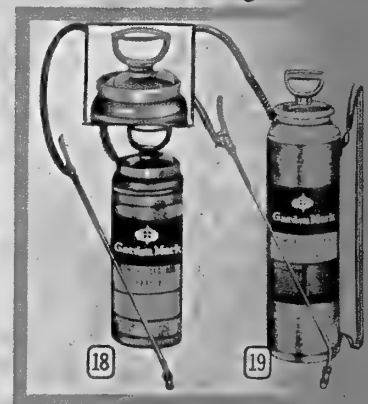
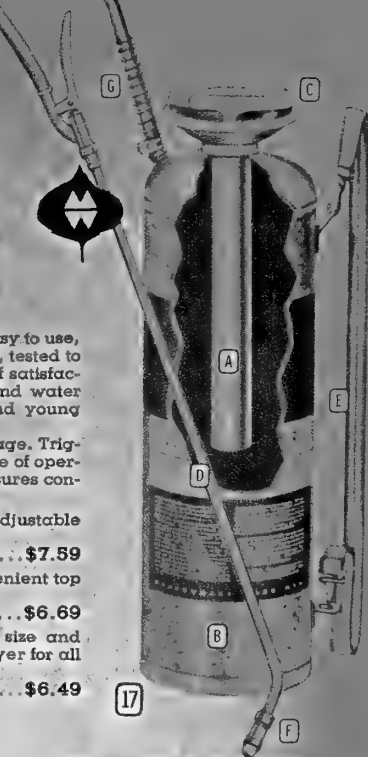
Clips hold curved brass extension rod to side of sprayer when not in use. Gauge-marks on side show how much spray is in tank. 36 in. of 3/8-in. oil-resistant hose. Mailable.

(18) 2-Gal. Wide Mouth Sprayer. 4 1/2-in. wide mouth opening. Plunger locks into position to form handle. 12-in. extension rod.

89 GB 2928—Ship. wt. 9 lbs. \$9.49

(19) Heavy Duty 4-Gal. Wide Mouth Sprayer. 5 1/2-in. wide mouth opening. Comfortable web carrying strap. 24-in. extension rod.

89 GB 2932 M—Ship. wt. 12 lbs. \$10.95



Scott's Turf Builder \$2.75

20 For a healthier, more durable turf. Gives new grass better start and renews color and vigor of old grass. Odorless. A complete lawn food.

89 GBP 2461 MB—For 2500 sq. ft. Postpaid. \$2.75

89 GBP 2462 R—For 5000 sq. ft. Prepaid. 4.50

21 Scott's Touch and Wand. Special wand holds cans of 4XD-Touch; will kill 2000 weeds. Postpaid.

89 GBP 2628 M—Wand with 1 can 4XD-Touch. \$1.85

89 GBP 2629—Refill can of 4XD-Touch. Postpaid. 89c

22 Scott's Destroyers crab grass without injury to lawn. Apply with lawn spreader. Postpaid.

89 GBP 2632—Box for 2500 sq. ft. \$3.45

89 GBP 2633 M—Bag for 5000 sq. ft. 5.95

23 Scott's 4-XD Weed Control. Kills dandelion, plantain, and other broad-leaf weeds without harming lawn. Ready to use. Postpaid.

89 GBP 2630—Box for 2500 sq. ft. Postpaid. \$1.95

89 GBP 2631 M—Bag for 5000 sq. ft. Postpaid. 3.75

Scott's Weed and Feed \$3.45

24 Double-duty compound. Combines weed killing potency with long lasting lawn food. Kills broad leaved weeds in 3 to 4 weeks while nourishing grass.

89 GBP 2634—For 2500 sq. ft. Postpaid. \$3.45

89 GBP 2635 M—For 5000 sq. ft. Postpaid. 5.95

25 Scott's Cope. Sprinkle around foundation to exclude ants, control chiggers, beetle grubs and webworm on lawns.

89 GBP 2830—For 2500 sq. ft. Postpaid. \$2.45

89 GBP 2831 M—For 5000 sq. ft. Postpaid. 3.95

26 Scott's Kansel. Removes clover from lawn. Excellent for poison ivy and oak. Postpaid.

89 GBP 2628—Shaker Can. 89c

89 GBP 2627—No. 50 For 2500 sq. ft. \$2.95

27 Scott's Clout. Drastic new treatment for stubborn crabgrass. Dry, granular mixture ready to apply with spreader. For use in late summer when crabgrass has become matted. 1 box treats 2500 sq. ft.

89 GBP 2625—Box. Postpaid. \$3.95

Dry and Liquid Weed Killers 97c to \$6.95

28 Killer Kane. Place metal point of Kane on weed, and press gently, automatically drenches weed. Use close to flowers without danger. Handle holds 18 oz. of water-soluble weed killer. Durable green plastic.

89 GB 2281 M—33 1/2 in. long, 1 1/4 in. diam. Wt. 1 lb. \$1.79

29 Weed-A-Way Sprayer. Fits any 1/2-gal. or gal. jug. Fill jug with solution, attach wand, and spray.

89 GBP 2998—All plastic. Postpaid. Each 59c

30 ACP Weedone Crab Grass Killer with MCP. Improved, more efficient formula contains MCP in addition to non-poisonous Potassium Cyanate. Kills crab grass, and many broadleaf weeds without injury to permanent grass.

89 GBP 2653—6 1/2 oz. Enough for 1200 sq. ft. Ppd. \$1.23

89 GBP 2654—26 oz. Enough for 4800 sq. ft. Ppd. 3.69

31 Weedone. Improved 2,4-D weed killer, with 2,4,5,T. Kills dandelion, plantain, poison ivy, ragweed and over 90 other weeds without injury to permanent grasses.

89 GBP 2650—8-oz. Can. Sprays 1200 sq. ft. Ppd. 97c

89 GBP 2651—1-Qt. Can. Sprays 4800 sq. ft. Ppd. \$2.69

89 GBP 2652 M—1-Gal. Can. Sprays 19,200 sq. ft. Ppd. 6.69

32 Vaughan's Sodar Crab Grass Killer. Contains DiSodium Methyl Arsonate, new wonder chemical. The best crabgrass killer we know of. Won't harm desirable grasses.

89 GB 2640—4 oz. Can. Treats 1000 sq. ft. Wt. 10 oz. \$1.25

89 GB 2641—1 lb. Can. Treats 4000 sq. ft. Wt. 1 lb. 8 oz. 3.50

33 Weedone Sodar—Liquid. Contains disodium methyl-arsenate—newest and most effective crabgrass killer. Use with Weedone Weed Killer (35) below to treat weeds and crabgrass in one operation. 3 oz. in 2 gal. water covers 400 sq. ft.

89 GBP 2644—1 Pt. Postpaid. \$1.89

89 GBP 2645—1 Qt. Postpaid. 3.39

34 Vaughan KO. Dry formula. Combines Sodar and 2,4D to knock out crabgrass, chickweed, dandelion and other lawn weeds. Use lawn spreader.

89 GBP 2642—9 Lbs. (treats 2500 sq. ft.) Postpaid. \$3.95

89 GBP 2643 M—18 Lbs. (treats 5000 sq. ft.) Postpaid. 6.95

35 Weedone—Dry Formulation. For gardeners who prefer to apply weed killer by spreader. Contains 2,4D and 2,4,5,T. Kills dandelions, poison ivy, other weeds and woody plants. Does not kill grass. Postpaid.

89 GBP 2636—5 Lbs. (treats 3000 sq. ft.) \$2.25

89 GBP 2637 M—18 Lbs. (treats 11,000 sq. ft.) 6.95

36 Weedone Sodar—Dry Formulation. Kills crabgrass in seedling or mature stage. Most effective when crabgrass leaves are moist with dew. Causes little or no discoloration to lawn. Dry formulation—no mixing. Won't kill desirable grasses or clover. Coverage given is for seedling grass; double for mature grass. Postpaid.

89 GBP 2638—5 Lbs. (treats 1,500 sq. ft.) \$2.25

89 GBP 2639 M—13 Lbs. (treats 4,000 sq. ft.) 5.25



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Pencil Pod Black Wax. Bush type, (56 days). Crisp, tender, bright yellow pods. Good for freezing.

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Fordhook Improved Bush Lima. (75 days). U.S. 242. All America Bronze Medal Winner. Enormously productive. Requires no support. 3½ to 4 in. pods.

Henderson's Bush Early Baby Limas. (65 days). Bush type, small pods. Very productive. Delicious buttery flavor. For canning and freezing.

BEET—Detroit Dark Red Perfected. (55 days) *A.A.S. Round, tender, blood red. Best all-purpose beet. One of the earliest. 1 Packet seeds 20-ft. row. 10c
1-oz. Pkg. Seeds 100-ft. row. 20c

BROCCOLI—Early Green Mountain. Early (60 days). Green sprouting type. Large, tender early strain. Easy to grow. 1 Pkt. makes about 200 plants. 15c
¼-oz. Pkg. Seeds 1000 Plants. 20c

BRUSSELS SPROUTS—Long Island Improved. (120 days). Many firm little heads 2 in. in diameter. Fine for home garden. 1 Pkt. makes 25-ft. row. 15c

CABBAGE—1 Packet seeds about 400 plants. 10c
¼-oz. Pkg. Seeds about 1200 plants. 20c
Days indicated are after setting started plants.

Early Jersey Wakefield. (63 days). Compact, pointed heads weigh 2 to 2¼ lbs.

Penn State Ballhead. (110 days) Silver Medal Winner. Hard globe-shaped heads weigh 6 to 7 lbs. Fine for winter storage or kraut.

CARROT—Coreless Scarlet Nantes. (70 days). Roots 6 to 7 inches long, 1 inch thick. Orange flesh. 1 packet seeds a 30-ft. row. 10c
½-oz. Pkg. Seeds 100-ft. row. 20c

CAULIFLOWER—Early Snowball. (55 days, after setting started plants.) Medium size. 1 Packet seeds about 150 plants. 15c

CELERY—Golden Self Blanching (118 days). Stalks and heart are crisp, solid, free from strings. Does not require high banking up. 1 Pkt. seeds about 500 plants. 15c

COLLARDS, Vates Short Stem. (90 days). Large, juicy green leaves. Grows to 3 ft. Non-heading. Short stem. 1 pkt. seeds 40-ft. row. 10c

CORN—Carlton seeds about 30 hills. 15c
½-lb. Packet seeds about 96 hills. 35c
Corn seed below has been treated for fungus.

Stowell's Evergreen Hybrid. (95 days). Larger yields. More uniform ears. One of the sweetest. 9-inch ears. White, tender, meaty kernels. 2 to 3 large ears per stalk. Good for canning.

Golden Bantam. (74 days). Golden yellow ears 6½ inches long with 8 rows of broad kernels. Very early, and very hardy. Highly prized for freezing.

Golden Cross Bantam. (84 days). Early Hybrid yellow sweet corn, 8-inch ears. Sweet and tender.

Marcross Hybrid. (70 days). A very early yellow hybrid. 7-inch ears. 12-14 rows of kernels. Resistant to wilt. Very productive.

CUCUMBER—1 packet seeds about 30 hills.

Marketer. (65 days). Slender, smooth fruits 8 inches long. Thick, crispy flesh with small seed cavity. Finest for slicing or market. *A.A.S. 10c

Ohio Pickling. (55 days). Mosaic resistant. One of the best. 6 in. long. Good for small pickles. 1 pkt. 10c

Early Surecrop. (58 days). Hybrid Cucumber, 1950 All America Winner. 8-inch fruits. Crisp. Small seed cavity. Resistant to Mosaic or Downy Mildew. This variety only: Price per pkt. (80 seeds) ... 50c

EGGPLANT—Black Beauty. (85 days). Large egg-shaped fruits retain black-purple color. Very productive. 1 pkt. seeds about 200 plants. 10c

ENDIVE—1 packet seeds a 20-ft. row. 10c

Broad Leaved. (Escarole.) (85 days.) Crisp, tender. Use for salad or cook as you would spinach.

Green Curled. (95 days). Finely cut leaves. Fine for salad greens or for cooking.

KALE—Dwarf Green Curled Scotch. (65 days). Very hardy dwarf spreading with broad leaves frilled at edges. 1 pkt. seeds a 20-ft. row. 10c

KOHLRABI—Purple. (60 days). Delicious flavor similar to Cauliflower. Tender fine quality. For home or market. 1 pkt. seeds a 30-ft. row. 10c

LEEK—Giant Musselburgh. (150 days). Mild flavor. Delicious in stews, soups or salads. One packet seeds a 15-ft. row. 10c

LETTUCE—1 packet seeds about a 15-ft. row of leaf lettuce and about a 30-ft. row head type.

Black Seeded Simpson (Loose Leaved). (45 days). Large, crisp, greenish yellow leaves. Also available in ½ oz. (Seeds 50-ft. row) ... 10c

Great Lakes. (Heading). (75 days). *A.A.S. Produces tight heads in warm or cool weather. Very slow going to seed. Remains sweet all season. 10c

Salad Bowl. (Loose Leaved). (45 days.) 1952 *A.A.S. Gold Medal Winner. Considered finest salad lettuce. Tender, sweet. Pkt. 15c

MUSKMELON—Sugar Rock. (88 days.) *A.A.S. Medium size. Nearly round. Thick sweet orange flesh. 1 pkt. seeds 15 hills. 15c

MUSTARD—Curled Green Wave. (50 days). Upright with bright green fringed leaves. 1 packet seeds a 30-ft. row. 10c
1-oz. pkg. Seeds 100-ft. row. 20c

OKRA OR GUMBO—Perkins Dwarf Green Long Pod. (50 days.) Tender pods give rich flavor to soups and stews. Packet seeds 25-ft. row. 10c
1-oz. pkg. Seeds 70-ft. row. 20c

ONION—1 packet seeds a 20-ft. row. 10c
¼-oz. pkg. Seeds 50-ft. row. 20c

Silverskin White Bunching. (60 days). Crisp, medium sized with mild flavor. For table use.

Sweet Spanish, Riverside Strain. (Yellow). (115 days). Mild flavored, globe shape. Large.

PARSLEY—1 Pkt. 10c

Double Moss Curled. (70 days). Dark green leaves tightly curled. Dwarf. Pkt. seeds 10-ft. row.

Plain or Single. (60 days). Deeply cut, flat dark green leaves. Best for flavor. Pkt. seeds 25-ft. row.

PARSNIPS—Harris Model. (130 days). Smooth white-skin. Long straight roots. Tender and tasty. 1 pkt. seeds a 20-ft. row. 10c

PEAS—2½-oz. packet seeds 25-30 ft. row. 15c
½ lb. seeds 80-100 ft. row. 35c
Peas listed below have been treated for fungus.

Alaska. (Smooth Seeded). (56 days). Very early, very desirable. Plumb pods 2½ in. long. Valuable where summers are short. Wilt-resistant.

Thomas Laxton. (Wrinkled seed). (60 days). Big yields of large, tender sweet peas. Retains flavor and sweetness. Best variety for freezing.

PEPPER—1 packet seeds about 100 plants.

Days indicated are after setting started plants.

California Giant Wonder. (70 days). One of best sweet peppers. Tender, mild crisp. Pkt. 10c

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1-oz. Pkg. Seeds 100-ft. row. 20c

RUTABAGA—American Purple Top. (85 days). An improved purple-top. Yellow flesh is solid, sweet and rich. 1 pkt. seeds a 30-ft. row. 10c
1-oz. Pkg. Seeds 100-ft. row. 20c

SPINACH—1 packet seeds about a 30-40-ft. row. 10c

America. (45 days). *A.A.S. A new, improved Bloomsdale. All America Selection for 1952. Very uniform. Medium large deep green leaves. Also 1-oz. Pkg. Seeds 100-ft. row. 20c

New Zealand. (65 days). Thrives in poor soil and in hot weather. Small, thick leaves. 10c pkt. size only.

SQUASH—1 packet seeds 5 to 12 hills. 10c

Early Golden Summer Crookneck. Summer squash. (60 days). One of the best summer varieties. Bright yellow, orange flesh. Delicious flavor. Also available in ½ oz. (seeds 30 hills). 20c

Butternut. Winter Squash. (80 days). For pies, boiling or baking. Pear shaped, 8 to 10 in. long; weigh 2½ to 4 lbs. Keeps well. Pkt. 15c

Royal Acorn or Table Queen. (75 days). Most popular of the small Squash. Bush type vines may be planted close. About 4½ in. long. Fine texture.

SWISS CHARD—Fordhook Giant. (57 days). Large dark green. Produces until frost. 1 packet seeds a 25-ft. row. 10c
1 oz. packet seeds 80-ft. row. 20c

TOMATO—1 packet seeds about 200 plants.

Days indicated are after setting started plants.

Marglobe. (80 days). Large, smooth round type. Meaty, almost coreless. Good for canning, juice. Yield heavily over long period. Wilt-resistant. Pkt. 15c
Also ½-oz. pkg. Seed 500 plants. 20c

Rutgers. (80 days). Solid and meaty with very small seed cavities. Medium to large. For canning or juice. Packet seeds about 100 plants. Pkt. 10c

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HOLLYHOCK, Chaters Double, Mixed Colors. (Perennial). One of the finest double Hollyhocks. Bloom June, July. Grow 6 ft. tall.Pkt. 15c

LANTANA, Brant's Dwarf Hybrids. Grow 18 in. tall. Bloom July through Oct. Center different color than outer petals. Bright colors mixed. Pkt. 20c

LARKSPUR, Giant Imperial. Improved strain. Colorful 3-ft. spikes. Bloom July and August.
Mixed Colors. Shades of pink and blue.Pkt. 10c

LUPINS, Giant Russell Hybrids, Mixed. (Perennial) *A.A.S. Gold Medal Award. Tall spikes of pea-shaped blooms. Fragrant. Grow to 3 ft.Pkt. 20c

MARIGOLD, Dwarf Double. For low borders.
Cupid. Blooms July to Sept. 8 in. tall. Blooms 2½ to 3-in. diam., gold, yellow, orange.Pkt. 20c

French Dwarf Doubles. Mixed Colors. Mahogany and Orange. Grows to 10 in. tall.Pkt. 15c

Lemon Drop. Only 8 inches tall. Bright yellow. Blooms June to frost. Perfect edging plant. Pkt. 15c

MARIGOLD, Giant African Types. Double Chrysanthemum-like flowers. Bloom July to frost. Grow to 3 ft. tall.

Mission Giant Yellowstone. Golden yellow blooms up to 3 in. across.Pkt. 15c

Crackerjack Mixed. Yellow and Orange blooms up to 5 inches across.Pkt. 15c

MOURNING BRIDE, Scabiosa, large flowering double. *A.A.S. Look like pin cushions. Bloom July to Sept. 3 ft. tall. Mixed colors.Pkt. 15c

NASTURTIUM Dwarf Gem, Double. Bloom from July to frost. For beds and flower boxes. Grow to 1 ft.

Mixed Colors. Brilliant and pastel shades. Pkt. 15c

Cherry Rose. Unusual cherry red.Pkt. 15c

NIEREMBERGIA, Dwarf Purple Robe. Lavender-blue cup-shaped flowers from July to Oct. 6 in. tall. Good in rock garden. *A.A.S.Pkt. 20c

PANSY, Oregon Giant. (Biennial). Mixed colors. 3 to 4 in. across. 6 in. tall. Bloom June-Oct.Pkt. 25c

PETUNIA, Double Glorious. Exceptionally fine strain. Mixed colors contain deep salmon, bright rose, orchid, violet, wine-red, pure white.Pkt. 65c

PETUNIA, Nana Compacta. Dwarf bedding type. Round, compact. Bloom June to frost. 12 in. tall.

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Glow. Bright carmine rose. *A.A.S.Pkt. 15c

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VIOLA, Mixed. (Perennial.) Sometimes called Tufted Pansies. Blooms May to Aug. 6 in. tall.Pkt. 15c

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Dahlia Flowering	Grow 3 ft. tall. 1 each of Yellow, pink, crimson, orange, lavender and deep purple.	6 Packets for 47c
Zinnia, Giant		
Cactus Flowering	Grow 3 ft. tall. 1 each of Yellow, pink, scarlet radiant persian red, creamy white.	5 Packets for 59c
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Rock Garden		
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Quick Crop Asparagus

3-Year Size. Larger, more mature, yields crop sooner than ordinary sizes. State Quantity. Postpaid.

91 GB 6872—Mary Washington Rustproof Quick Crop.
10 for \$1.95 25 for \$4.50 100 for \$12.00
91 GB 6875—Roberts Quick Crop Asparagus.
10 for \$1.95 25 for \$4.50 100 for \$12.00

Rhubarb—Delicious Spring Fruit

Low as 5 Roots for 85c

The first plant to furnish sauce and pies in spring. Produces juicy stalks in abundance after the first year. Lasts a lifetime. Instead of cutting or breaking, grasp stalks close to base, and with a quick jerk, pull out entire stalk. Plant 3 feet apart in spring or fall. Hardy in all zones.

Giant Victoria. Standard variety for years. Stalks much larger than ordinary varieties. We ship ½-inch, whole roots. State Quantity. Shipped Postpaid.
91 GB 6861—5 for 85c 10 for \$1.45 25 for \$3.00

Canada Red. Newest and finest red rhubarb. Not only red on outside, but red clear through entire stalk. Grows 2 to 3 ft. tall. Makes delicious pink sauce. We ship root divisions. State Quantity. Shipped Postpaid.
91GB6864—Each \$1.00; 5 for \$4.75; 10 for \$8.00; 25 for \$18.75

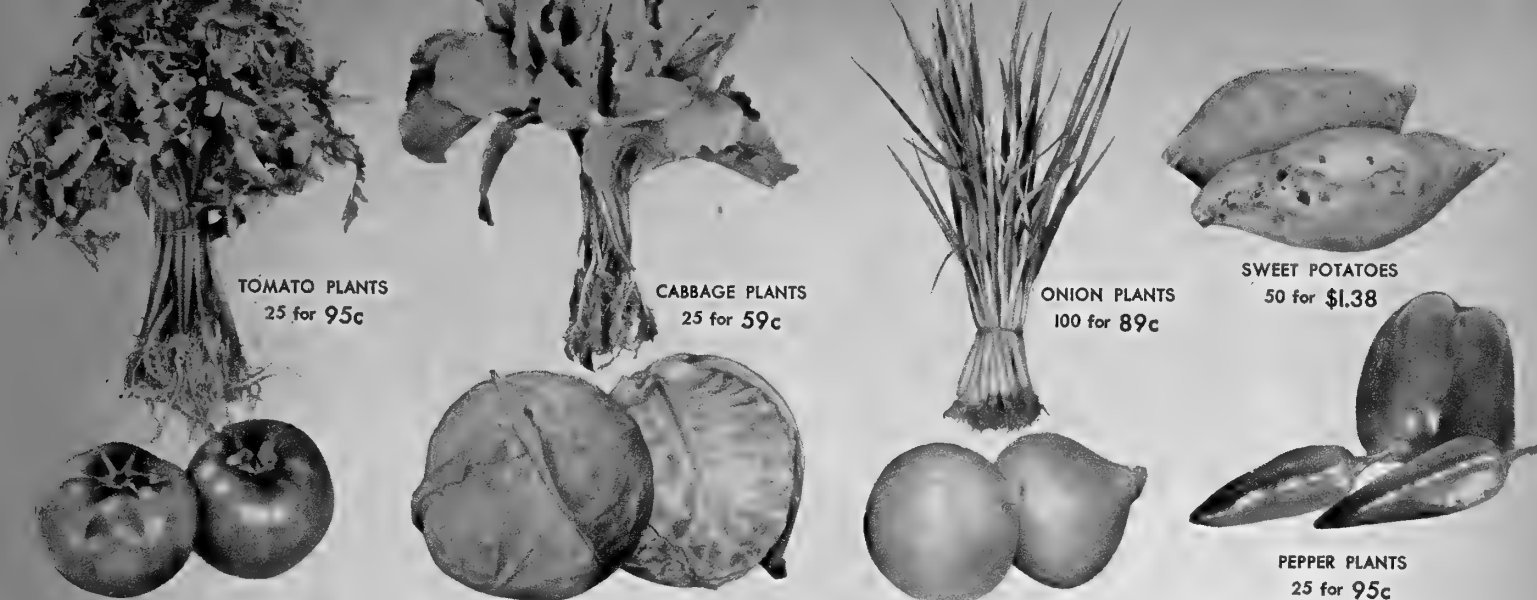
Quick Crop Rhubarb

The same types as those described above, but roots or divisions are larger and will produce crops earlier:

91 GB 6865—VICTORIA QUICK CROP. 1 to 1½-inch roots.
Postpaid. 5 for \$1.35 10 for \$2.55 25 for \$5.25
91 GB 6867—CANADA RED QUICK CROP. Root divisions.
Postpaid. Ea. \$1.50; 5 for \$7.20

KEEP THIS BOOK FOR YEAR 'ROUND ORDERING

Most nursery stock can be planted in spring or fall. It's all shipped Postpaid or Express Prepaid at planting time. Read Wards Nursery Stock Guarantee on Page 4.



TOMATO PLANTS
25 for 95c

CABBAGE PLANTS
25 for 59c

ONION PLANTS
100 for 89c

SWEET POTATOES
50 for \$1.38

PEPPER PLANTS
25 for 95c

Enjoy Fresh Vegetables Two Weeks Earlier

PLANT WARDS FIELD GROWN, WEATHER HARDENED VEGETABLE PLANTS

Mature Crop 2 Weeks Earlier. Will produce 25% more than ordinary plants if planted according to instructions given with order.

More Satisfactory than Greenhouse grown plants, because Wards plants have been grown under natural conditions of full sun and rain.

Big Husky Roots because they have had plenty of room to grow and develop. You'll notice firm stems and good leaf texture as they develop.

Easy to Transplant. Weather hardened plants stand the shock of transplanting better. They are able to withstand rigors of early northern planting.

Onion Plants . . . 100 for 89c

Wards Onion Plants are better in 4 ways. (1) Plants can be set out as early as cabbage. (2) Provide green bunch onions 2 to 6 weeks earlier. (3) Mature onions are usually large and keep better than those grown from sets. (4) Much easier to handle than growing onions from seed. Shipped Jan. 1 to June 1.

91 GB 8020—**Crystal White Wax.** A good, early flat onion similar to Yellow Bermuda, except clear white. Large, sweet and mild.

91 GB 8021—**Yellow Bermuda.** Very early. Large, flat shape. Mild sweet, nearly white flesh. Strawberry colored skin. Keeps well.

91 GB 8022—**Yellow Sweet Spanish.** Very large globe shape with small neck. Deep amber orange. Mild flavor. Good keeper.

91 GB 8023—**White Sweet Spanish.** The largest, sweetest, best keeping Spanish Onion. Crisp and juicy. Yellow skin, white flesh.

Frostproof Cabbage Plants . . . 100 for \$1.39

Known to withstand temperatures 14 degrees above zero without injury. Can be set in the open 4 to 6 weeks earlier than hotbed plants. Tops may not grow at first, but roots will become established and plants will make rapid growth. Heads start forming 2 to 3 weeks earlier. Plant early varieties 14 in. apart in rows 28 in. apart, late varieties 24 in. apart in rows 36 in. apart. Shipped January 1 to June 1.

91 GB 8011—**Charleston Wakefield.** 70 days. Pointed head weighs about 3½ to 4½ lbs. at maturity. Heavy yielder. Cold resistant.

91 GB 8010—**Early Jersey Wakefield.** 60 days. Pointed heads. About 2 to 2½ lbs. at maturity.

91 GB 8013—**Golden Acre.** 66 days. Earliest round-headed cabbage. Big yielder. Yellows resistant. Excellent for kraut. Averages 3 lbs.

91 GB 8015—**Flat Dutch.** 66 days. Solid, flat-shaped heads usually weigh 5 to 6 lbs. at maturity. Heat-resistant. Excellent for slaw or kraut.

Early Crop Tomatoes . . . 100 for \$1.95

Vine ripened tomatoes taste much better than commercial tomatoes which are usually picked green for shipping. Produce healthy, productive plants in any ordinary soil. Plant 4 ft. apart if allowed to sprawl; 2½ ft. apart if staked. Staked plants conserve space. Unstaked plants require more space, but produce about ½ more crop. Shipped April 1 to June 1.

91 GB 8001—**Marglobe.** 77 days. Introduced by U.S. Dept. of Agriculture. Thrifty, wilt-resistant plants bear large, smooth, globe-shaped fruits. Deep scarlet.

91 GB 8002—**Earliana.** 65 days. Earliest variety. Medium size, globe shape. Deep scarlet, firm and smooth, with few seeds. Highly recommended for home garden.

91 GB 8003—**Rutgers.** 80 days. Developed by New Jersey State Exp. Station. Medium to large fruits. Deep red color. Tangy flavor. For canning and juice.

91 GB 8004—**Ponderosa.** 85 days. Beefsteak type. Few varieties compare with this one in size. Huge, solid slightly ribbed fruit is purplish-pink. Ideal for slicing.

Moist-Flesh Sweet Potatoes . . . 100 for \$1.95

If you have a four-month growing season, you can grow sweet potatoes. They do best in light, well-drained sandy loam that is not too rich. Will stand plenty of heat. Set plants 15 in. apart in rows 30 in. apart after all danger of frost has passed. After harvesting, tubers should be packed in boxes in a warm, dry, well ventilated place. Shipped April 1 to June 1.

91 GB 8040—**Porto Rican.** One of the most popular varieties. Deep orange. Sweet, mellow flavor and fine moist texture. One of the most desirable sweet potatoes for freezing.

91 GB 8043—**Vineless Porto Rican.** New "bush type." Same sweet, deep orange potato as above. Does not grow a vine, but grows in bunches like peanuts. Permits easy cultivation and makes clean rows. Easier to harvest than the vine type.

91 GB 8041—**Red Gold.** New variety. Yields very large crops. Has purple-reddish skin with deep golden-yellow flesh. Is especially delicious when used for baking.

Sweet and Hot Peppers . . . Outstanding Varieties . . . 100 for \$2.50

Sweet Peppers are one of the most delicious of all vegetables whether stuffed and baked, or sliced in salads. Hot Peppers add zest to any combination type main course. Wards husky plants are very easy to grow in any well drained soil that is not too rich. Set 2 ft. apart in rows 2 to 3 ft. apart after danger of frost. When harvesting, cut pepper from plant with a sharp knife and allow a short stem. Shipped from April 1 to June 1.

91 GB 8030—**California Wonder.** Early—about 70 days. Considered one of the best Sweet Peppers. Smooth, dark green. Tender, mild, sweet flesh. Firm and heavy. About 4 in. in diam., and 4½ in. long. For home, market or freezing. Ships well. Used for stuffing.

91 GB 8031—**Pimento.** Early sweet pepper. Heart shaped. 3 in. long. Turns bright red when ripe. Good for salad, canning, pickling or freezing. Peels easily. Very productive.

91 GB 8033—**Ruby King.** Best early market variety. Large 3-lobed pepper with mild, sweet, firm flesh. A vigorous grower and heavy bearer. Bright red when ripe. Excellent all-purpose variety for home or market. Good for slicing in salad or stuffing.

91 GB 8034—**Hungarian Yellow Wax.** An early, hot pepper. Dark green skin turns bright yellow, then red when fully ripe. Thick flesh. Very hot and pungent—good for seasoning or pickling. Often about 6 in. long. Bears large crops.

Prices of Above Vegetable Plants—Sold Only in Units Indicated

Vegetable Plants State Catalog No. Above	Prices For Vegetable Plants Wards Pay Postage							Prices for Large Quantities You Pay Express Charges			
	25 Plants	50 Plants	100 Plants	200 Plants	500 Plants	1000 Plants	2000 Plants	1000 Plants		2000 Plants	
	Ship. Wt.	Price	Ship. Wt.	Price	Ship. Wt.	Price	Price	Ship. Wt.	Price	Ship. Wt.	Price
Cabbage Plants.....	59c	89c	\$1.39	\$2.10	\$3.49	\$5.75	.....	20 lbs.	\$3.75	38 lbs.	\$7.00
Pepper Plants.....	95c	\$1.49	2.50	3.49	5.85	8.95	.....	17 lbs.	7.50	34 lbs.	14.00
Sweet Potato (Regular).....	.....	1.38	1.95	3.25	5.95	8.95	.....	20 lbs.	6.95	40 lbs.	12.95
Sweet Potato (Vineless).....	1.25	2.25	3.25	4.75	8.00	.....	.....	20 lbs.	11.50	40 lbs.	20.00
Tomato Plants.....	95c	1.39	1.95	2.75	5.10	7.95	.....	25 lbs.	6.50	50 lbs.	12.00
Onion Plants.....	.....	.....	89c	1.38	2.58	4.25	6.95	30 bunches	.....	About	4.95
								2000-3000 Plants	.....	20 lbs.	.....
								60 bunches	.....	About	7.95
								4000-6000 Plants	.....	40 lbs.	.....

Vegetable Plants Shipped at Proper Planting Time for Your Territory.
Cabbage and Onion Plants Shipped Jan. 1 to June 1—Others Shipped April 1 to June 1.

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WARRANTY

Wards warrant Vegetable Plants to reach you in proper condition for planting—healthy, free from disease and insects. As vigorous growth depends upon proper planting, soil, climatic conditions, and other factors over which we have no control, we cannot be responsible for the growth, nor the crop, nor for any amount greater than the purchase price of the plants.

Was \$10.50
Last Fall
NOW ONLY
\$8.88



Wards
Symbol of
Quality



2 14.95



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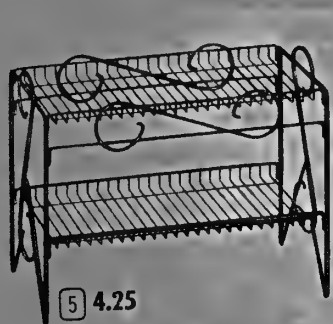


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Garden Mark Planters for Indoor Display

- 1 **Garden Mark Indoor Gardener.** 9 movable arms hold 4½-in. diam. wick-fed green plastic pots. Sphagnum moss in center. 6½-in. diam. bottom pot, 3½-in. diam. top pot, 41 in. high. Includes pots, saucers, moss; no plants. 89 GB 1990 M—State: Black or White Stand. Wt. 9 lbs. . . . \$8.88
- Jr. Gardener. As above, but smaller. 6 arms hold 4½-in. pots, 5½-in. diam. bottom pot, 29 in. high. State color. Mail. 89 GB 1993 M—Wt. 7 lbs. Complete with pots, moss. . . . \$6.98
- 2 **Vio-Holda Stand.** Holds 11 pots up to 5½-in. diam. 6 to 12-in. revolving arms. 1-in. welded steel. 40 in. high. 89 GB 1982 M—State: Black or White. Postpaid. . . . \$14.95

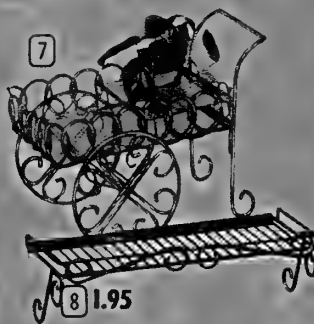
- 3 **Garden Mark Plant Stand.** Brass plated, welded, ¼-in. tempered steel. Legs adjust to any position in 360° arc; pots swing away from walls. Black plastic pots 4½-in. diam. at top. 89 GB 1984 M—Ship. wt. 6 lbs. . . . \$3.69
- 4 **Garden Mark Lazy Susan.** 6 removable 4½-in. green plastic pots with wick-feed action. Brass plated top revolves. 20½ in. high by 17½ in. wide. State Black or White enamel. 89 GB 1995 M—Ship. wt. 8 lbs. . . . \$6.98



5 4.25



6 3.98



7 1.95



9 7.49



10 7.95

- 5 **Garden Mark 2-Shelf Stand.** Use indoors or out. Plants get maximum sunlight. Heavy-gauge wire. 23 in. tall, 10½ in. wide, 26½ in. long. Black or White finish. State color. Ship. wt. 6 lbs. 89 GB 1985 M—Mailable. . . . \$4.25

- 6 **Garden Mark 2-Tier Plant Stand.** Black wrought metal. 26 in. high, 22 in. wide, 7 in. deep. 1½-in. guard rail has lace open-work with ¼-in. brass color trim. Sturdy lower shelf. 89 GB 2001 M—Ship. wt. 7 lbs. . . . \$3.98

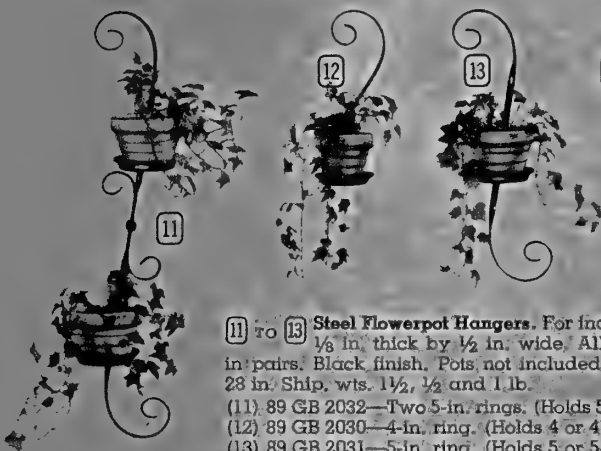
- 7 **Garden Mark Flower and Magazine Cart.** Heavy gauge wire with brass plated finish. Wheels turn, easy to move. 15 in. high, 19½ in. long, 13 in. wide; 10-in. diameter wheels. Separate sliding insert tray for 2-level use; one for magazines, papers; the other for plants, knick-knacks. 89 GB 1994 M—Ship. wt. 8 lbs. Mailable. . . . \$7.98

Without Sliding Tray. Satin black or white enamel. 89 GB 1986 M—State color. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz. . . . \$5.49

- 8 **Garden Mark Window Sill Shelf.** Fits standard wooden window sill 25 in. or more wide. Provides extra space in the sun. Metal rods keep plants from falling off. End brackets hold shelf firmly. 8 in. wide, 24 in. long. 89 GB 1976—Ship. wt. 3 lbs. State: White or Black. . . . \$1.95

- 9 **Garden Mark 3-Tier Planter Stand.** Filling bordered shelves finished in white or black baked enamel. Brass plated sides. Rubber capped feet. Rigidly supported at every level. Easy to assemble. 25½ in. high, 22¼ in. long. Each shelf 21 in. long, 6 in. wide, 1¼ in. deep. 89 GB 1997 MO—Wt. 10 lbs. State Color. . . . \$7.49

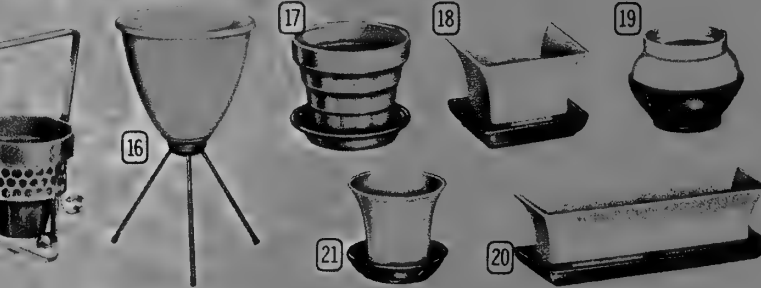
- 10 **Garden Mark 3-Shelf Planter Stand.** For plants, magazines, knick-knacks. Heavy wire frame and shelves brass plated on chrome for extra brightness, long life. White rubber caps on feet. Easily assembled. 29½ in. high. Each shelf 21¾x7 in. 89 GB 1996 M—Ship. wt. 10 lbs. . . . \$7.95



- 11 to 13 **Steel Flowerpot Hangers.** For indoor or outdoor use. ½ in. thick by ½ in. wide. All reversible for use in pairs. Black finish. Pots not included. Sizes: 11, 19 and 28 in. Ship. wts. 1½, ½ and 1 lb.
- (11) 89 GB 2032—Two 5-in. rings. (Holds 5-5½-in. pot) \$1.98
- (12) 89 GB 2030—4-in. ring. (Holds 4 or 4½-in. pot) . . . 79c
- (13) 89 GB 2031—5-in. ring. (Holds 5 or 5½-in. pot) . . . \$1.09

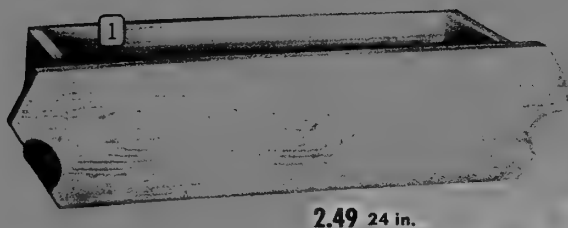
- 14 **Table and Wall Planters.** Steel stands plated in brass and lacquered. 3½-in. pots in Pink, Red, Yellow. State color.
- (14) 89 GB 1998—Pin-up Planters. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 8 oz. . . . Pair \$1.98
- (15) 89 GB 1999—Table Planters. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 8 oz. . . . Pair 1.98

- 16 **Urn Planter.** Decorative, and large enough for dramatic plantings. White plastic pot, 12 by 12 in. deep on brass plated metal tripod.
- 58 WARDS CBKAS About 21 inches high overall. 89 GB 4207—Ship. wt. 4 lbs. . . . \$4.98

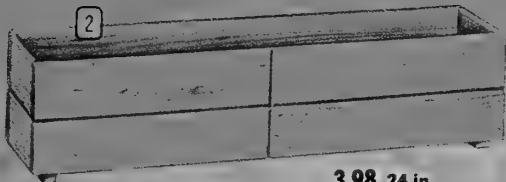


- 17 to 21 **Plastic Flower Pots** with built-in rot-proof, fiber glass "Hydro-Wick" that distributes moisture to roots. Drainage holes at bottom divert excess water to saucer. Sold only in groups of 6 of a kind. Includes 2 each red, yellow, green. All but (19) have satin-black removable saucers.

Cat. No.	Key	Name	Width	Height	Ship. wt. for 6	For 6
89 GB 2170	(17)	Tiered Pot	4½-in. diam.	3¾ in.	1 lb. 8 oz.	\$1.85
89 GB 2171		Tiered Pot	5½-in. diam.	3¾ in.	2 lbs. 4 oz.	2.37
89 GB 2165	(18)	Pagoda Planter	4½ in. square	3½ in.	2 lbs.	2.15
89 GB 2166		Pagoda Planter	5½ in. square	4 in.	2 lbs. 8 oz.	2.69
89 GB 2167	(19)	Cookie Jar Planter	5¾-in. diam.	4½ in.	2 lbs. 8 oz.	2.79
Pot-within-a-Pot. May be used as single unit, or as two separate Pots.						
89 GB 2168	(20)	Gondola Planter	4x7-in. pot	3½ in.	2 lbs. 2 oz.	2.39
89 GB 2169		Gondola Planter	4x12-in. pot	3½ in.	3 lbs. 4 oz.	4.39
89 GB 2163	(21)	Flared Planter	3¾-in. diam.	3½ in.	1 lb.	1.19
89 GB 2164		Flared Planter	4¾-in. diam.	4¼ in.	1 lb. 8 oz.	1.95



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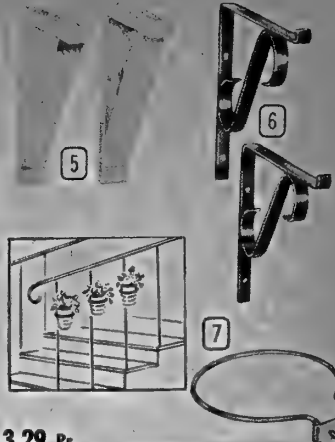
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2.17 24 in.



1.67 24 in.



Garden Mark Accessories for Yard and Garden

1 Garden Mark Redwood Window Boxes.

1-in. kiln dried, 5½ in. high, 6 in. deep.
89 GB 2078—24 in. long. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. \$2.49
89 GB 2080 M—36 in. long. Ship. wt. 7 lbs. 3.49
89 GB 2081 M—48 in. long. Ship. wt. 10 lbs. 4.29
89 GB 2082 MO—60 in. long. Ship. wt. 13 lbs. 4.79

2 Garden Mark California Redwood Plant Boxes.

Stack for patio, room dividers.
89 GB 2083 M—24x8x8 in. Ship. wt. 8 lbs. \$3.98
89 GB 2084 M—36x8x8 in. Ship. wt. 11 lbs. 4.98
89 GB 2085 M—48x8x8 in. Ship. wt. 15 lbs. 6.29
89 GB 2086 MO—60x8x8 in. Ship. wt. 18 lbs. 7.49

3 Garden Mark Sub-Irrigating Plant Box.

Heavy galvanized metal with perforated liner. Excess water stored in bottom. Green enameled. Leakproof.
89 GB 2033—24x6x8¾ in. Ship. wt. 4 lbs. \$2.17
89 GB 2034 M—30x6x8¾ in. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. 2.54
89 GB 2035 M—36x6x8¾ in. Ship. wt. 6 lbs. 2.98

4 Steel Window Boxes.

Secondary bottom for drainage. Green enamel finish, diamond-pattern front. 5½ in. deep, 8½ in. wide at top.
89 GB 2025—24 in. Ship. wt. 3 lbs. 8 oz. \$1.67
89 GB 2026 M—30 in. Ship. wt. 4 lbs. 1.89
89 GB 2027 M—36 in. Ship. wt. 4 lbs. 8 oz. 2.29

5 Redwood Brackets for (1), (2).

12¾x10 in. wide.
89 GB 2079—Ship. wt. 2 lbs. Pair 79c

6 Steel Brackets for (3) and (4) above.

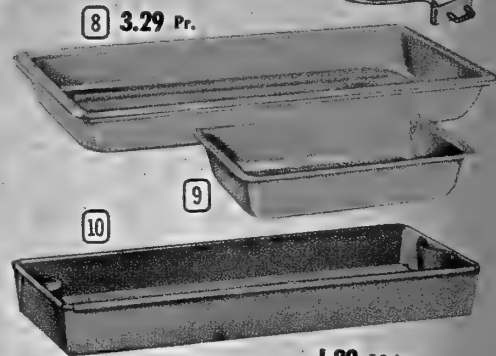
89 GB 2028—Ship. wt. 1 lb. Pair 89c

7 Flowerpot Hangers.

For round, square railings to ¾ in. or use on wall. Ship. wt. 9 oz.
89 GB 2042—For 4-in. pot. 3 for \$1.09
89 GB 2043—For 5-in. pot. 3 for 1.19

8 9 Garden Mark Plastic Starter Trays.

Hi-impact green polystyrene.
(8) 89 GB 2044—22x11x2¾ in. Wt. 3 lbs. 2 for \$3.29
(9) 89 GB 2045—8x12x2¾ in. Wt. 2 lbs. 3 for 1.59



3.29 Pr. 1.29 18 in.

10 Garden Mark Metal Starter Trays.

Leakproof. Galvanized steel. With drainage tray for excess water. Green enameled.
89 GB 2037—18x5x2⅞ in. Ship. wt. 2 lbs. \$1.29
89 GB 2036 M—21x9x2½ in. Ship. wt. 3 lbs. 1.49



11 Plastic Bird Bath.

Weather-resistant marbled plastic. Hollow base—fill with sand. Detachable top. 21-in. bowl.
89 GB 4205 M—Ht. 25 in. Wt. 6 lbs. \$6.98

12 13 Metal Bird Baths.

Wrought iron legs. To anchor, just push into ground.
(12) ALUMINUM BOWL. Slip-proof gray finish. 17-in. diam., 1½ in. deep. Ht. 31 in.
89 GB 5780 M—Ship. wt. 4 lbs. 12 oz. \$4.49

(13) PORCELAIN ENAMELED BOWL.

16½-in. diam., 2 in. deep, snaps into green base.
89 GB 5781 M—Ht. 28 in. Wt. 6 lbs. \$3.89

14 Garden Mark Double Feeder.

For window, yard. Redwood. Sliding glass sides. Ea. holds 2½ lbs. seed.
89 GB 5755—23¾x7¼x7¼ in. Wt. 7 lbs. 8 oz. \$5.29

15 Pre-Fabricated Wren Houses.

Redwood. With nails, instructions. Kit makes 3 complete houses.
89 GB 5814—Ea. 4½x5x6 in. Wt. 2 lbs. Kit \$1.19

16 Garden Mark Chalet Wren House.

Redwood. Ship. flat. With screws, instructions.
89 GB 5812—6x7¼x9 in. high. Wt. 2 lbs. \$1.49

Chalet Bluebird House.

Larger. 1½-in. entrance.
89 GB 5813—7¾x9¼x10¾ in. high. Wt. 4 lbs. \$2.19.

17 Wild Bird Seed.

Mixture of corn, sunflower seed.
89 GB 2236—5 lbs. Ship. wt. 5 lbs. 8 oz. 89c
89 GB 2234 F—50 lbs. From Chicago Factory \$6.50

18 Garden Mark St. Francis Feeder.

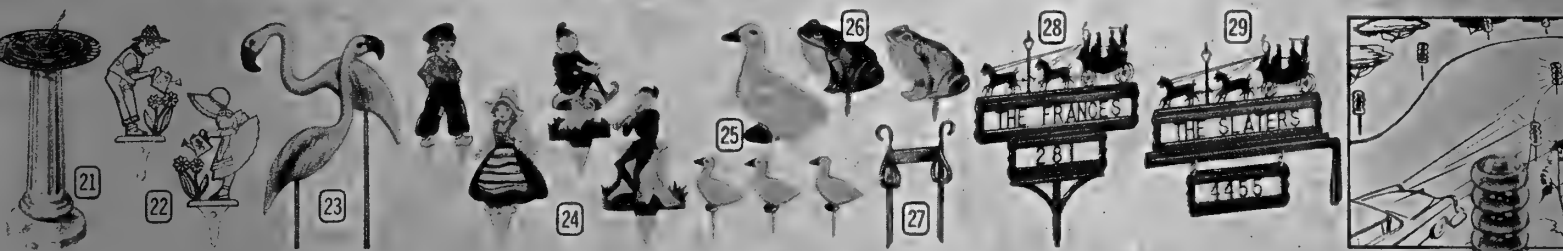
Redwood.
89 GB 5751—5¾x8x12½ in. high. Wt. 3 lbs. \$4.95

19 Garden Mark Deluxe Bird Feeder.

Redwood. Hinged top. Adjustable glass slides. Holds 4½ lbs.
89 GB 5753—12x12x9¾ in. high. Ship. wt. 7 lbs. \$4.59

20 Hang-Up Feeder.

14¾-in. steel hood, 9-in. tray. Plastic hopper for 2½ lbs. seed ready to fill. Brown suet rolls.
89 GB 5752—9x¾ in. deep tray. Ship. wt. 4 lbs. \$2.49



21 Garden Sun Dial.

Weather-resistant plastic. Hollow base—fill with sand to weigh down. Detachable, locking top. Marbled 10½-in. base, bronze-like 14-in. dial. Height 27 in.
89 GB 4211 M—Ship. wt. 6 lbs. \$6.98

22 Plastic Garden Boy and Girl Figures.

White with red trim. Stakes anchor securely in ground. Each figure is 23½ in. high.
89 GB 4203—Ship. wt. 2 lbs. Set \$1.79

23 Plastic Flamingoes.

Full-contour pink bodies. Steel stakes form legs. 22½ and 30 in. high.
89 GB 4204 M—Ship. wt. 3 lbs. 8 oz. Pair \$3.49

24 Plastic Dutch Boy, Girl, 2 Elves.

Sunfast yellow, red, green and black on white.
89 GB 4210—Ht. 16 in. Ship. wt. 1 lb. Set \$1.65

25 White Plastic Ducks.

Incl. 13½ highx12x6½-in. thick duck, 3 ducklings. Orange beaks, feet.
89 GB 4208—Ship. wt. 3 lbs. Set \$2.49

26 Life-Like Plastic Frogs.

Full, round. Stakes.
89 GB 4209—9x9x6½ in. Wt. 1 lb. Set of 2 \$2.69

28 29 House Markers.

Weatherproof plastic—looks just like wrought iron. 15-in. long nameplate; 9-in. long number plate. State up to 12 letters and 6 numbers. 2 sets sent for each order—1 set for each side of marker. Ship. wt. 1 lb. 8 oz.
(28) 84 GB 1905 H—Stake Model. With 19-in. steel stake. Complete Set \$2.95
(29) 84 GB 1907 H—Bracket Model. With steel mounting bracket. Set \$3.25

30 Driveway Markers.

Reflecting red "Scotch Lite" in clear Lucite tops. 36-in. aluminum stakes.
89 GB 4226 M—Set of 4. Wt. 1 lb. 8 oz. \$3.98

Let Us Reserve Your Fall Bulbs Now

IMPORTED HOLLAND DUTCH BULBS—SHIPPED POSTPAID OCT. 1 TO DEC. 1

Guaranteed to Bloom in 1959, Disease Free, Fresh Crop. Firm, plump bulbs shipped 30 days after digging in Holland... your assurance of straight, perfectly formed, unmarred blooms.

Sizes Finest for Outdoor Use. Tulips are 11-12 centimeters (1½ in. in diameter.) Hyacinths are 16-17 centimeters (about 2 in. in diameter.) Daffodils are large, round No. 1 size.

Carefully Selected Varieties. Wards present only varieties of superior merit, proven performance, true beauty. Many were first popularized by Wards. Hardy in all climates.

Bulbs on This Page Must be Planted This Fall. Bulb shipments begin about Oct. 1 and they are available until about Jan. 1 in southern states, Dec. 1 in northern states. Instructions included.

Order Bulbs at Any Time—We Reserve Your Order Until Fall Shipment Begins.

Darwin Tulips

Garden of 48 bulbs for \$329

Most popular Tulips. Best known for their clear, solid colors. Large, cup-shaped blooms on tall, firm stems. Are considered among the best in their color classes.

89 GB 9706—**Darwin Tulip Garden.** 6 each of 8 below. Postpaid.....48 bulbs \$3.29

- 1 89 GB 9701 — BLEU AMIALE. Beautiful violet blue Award of Merit winner.
- 2 89 GB 9700 — SCARLET SENSATION. Brilliant red, excellent for mass plantings.
- 3 89 GB 9707 — MAMASA. Very large. Deep yellow inside; Canary yellow outside.
- 4 89 GB 9703 — GLACIER. A giant among pure white tulips. Award of Merit winner. Excellent with bright or deep colors.
- 5 89 GB 9702 — SMILING QUEEN. Pure, radiant satin-rose of exceptional size.
- 6 89 GB 9704 — SCARLET LEADER. Exceptionally large, glowing blood red tulip.
- 7 89 GB 9705 — LA TULIPE NOIRE. Dark maroon tulip often referred to as black.
- 8 89 GB 9708 — DILLENBERG. Luminous flame color. Orange red, yellow edge.

Prices of Above Darwin Tulips. Postpaid, 6 of one variety 55c; 12 of one variety 98c

Red Emperor—World's Largest Tulip

- 9 Earliest Tulip. Usually 9 to 10 inches in diameter when fully open. One of the most brilliant tulips. Intense scarlet blooms are unexcelled. Firm stems. Winner of First Class Award and Award of Merit. Postpaid.
- 89 GB 9709—6 for 65c; 12 for \$1.19; 24 for \$1.98

Tulip Picture Garden

19 Varieties—114 Bulbs for \$798

Includes 6 each of 8 Darwin, 5 Choice and 6 Parrot Tulips. If purchased individually these tulips would cost \$11.69. Buy this collection and save \$3.71. Labeled.

89 GB 9773—Postpaid.....114 bulbs \$7.98

BUY TULIP AND DAFFODIL BULBS BY THE HUNDRED FOR LESS THAN 8c PER BULB

Rainbow Tulips—25 Bulbs \$189

Choice collections made up of bulbs sold on this page, as surpluses develop. Four colors, or more. Not labeled.

89 GB 9774—Postpaid.....25 bulbs \$1.89
50 bulbs.....\$3.29 100 bulbs. 5.49

Daffodils—100 Bulbs \$798

Large, No. 1 bulbs, including large and short trumpet varieties, to plant among trees and shrubs for a natural, woodland effect. Multiply rapidly. Produce large, brilliant flowers year after year. To achieve the desired effect, scatter bulbs on ground, a handful at a time, then plant wherever they fall.

89 GB 9835—Postpaid. 25 bulbs \$2.49
50 bulbs \$4.49.....100 bulbs 7.98

Planting Booklet Included
With Every Bulb Order.

Choice Tulip Varieties

Garden of 30 bulbs for \$329

Hand-picked for those who want the best. Includes some Darwin and some Cottage Tulips, all varieties have earned distinction for size, coloring, or some other notable characteristic that has brought them honor and fame. All bloom at the same time as Darwin Tulips. Postpaid.

89 GB 9730—**Choice Tulip Garden.** 6 each of 5 below.....30 bulbs \$3.29

- 10 89 GB 9729 — CHAPPAQUA. Enormous glistening rose-pink tulip. Award of Merit Winner.....6 for 79c; 12 for \$1.45
- 11 89 GB 9726 — PRINCESS MARGARET ROSE. Golden yellow with scarlet edge. Award Winner.....6 for 59c; 12 for \$1.09
- 12 89 GB 9725 — MRS. JOHN T. SCHEEPERS. Enormous; largest of all yellow tulips. Husky stems.....6 for 69c; 12 for \$1.25
- 13 89 GB 9728 — RED MATADOR. Very large bright red slightly flushed purple. Awards Winner.....6 for 79c; 12 for \$1.45
- 14 89 GB 9727 — ACE OF SPADES. Heavy purple petals almost true black. Very superior.....6 for 89c; 12 for \$1.59

Parrot Tulips 30 Bulbs \$259

Dramatic in form and color, with brilliant emerald-green feathery markings on the outside petals. Bloom same time as Darwins.

89 GB 9756—**Parrot Tulip Garden.** 6 each of varieties 15, 17, 18, 19 and 20. Postpaid. All 30 bulbs.....\$2.59

- 15 89 GB 9753 — SUNSHINE. Best yellow.
- 16 89 GB 9754 — BLACK PARROT. Fascinating new variety is deep purplish-black.
- 17 89 GB 9755 — ORANGE FAVORITE. Deep glistening orange-scarlet. Yellow base.
- 18 89 GB 9752 — FIREBIRD. Penetrating red. Center is beautifully ruffled.
- 19 89 GB 9750 — BLUE PARROT. Bright violet shading to deep lavender at center.
- 20 89 GB 9751 — FANTASY. Most popular pink parrot. Brilliant salmon-rose.

Prices of Above Parrot Tulips

Shipped Postpaid.....6 of one variety 59c

Double Peony-Flowered Tulips

Garden of 18 bulbs for \$159

This strain is notable for its spectacular size and form. Quite tall. Double blooms on strong stems. Bloom right after Darwins.

89 GB 9767—**Double Tulip Garden.** 6 each of 3 below. Postpaid.....18 bulbs for \$1.59

- 21 89 GB 9765 — LIVINGSTONE. Cherry-red.
- 22 89 GB 9766 — MR. TACOMA. Purest white; outer petals brushed with green.
- 23 89 GB 9768 — NIZZA. Bright red and yellow striped bloom. Long stems.

Prices of Above Double Tulips

Shipped Postpaid.....6 of one variety 59c

SHIPPING NOTICE

Shipment of all bulbs listed on this page will begin about October 1st. They will be available until January 1st in Southern States; until December 1st in Northern States. Bulbs can be planted as long as the earth can be dug, in the fall.

Daffodils

Picture Garden of 48 bulbs for \$498

Bloom in early spring, just before Tulips. Hardy in all climates. Grow more beautiful. Last many years. Wards ship only large, healthy, No. 1 Dutch bulbs. Shipped Postpaid.

89 GB 9834—**Daffodil Picture Garden.** 6 each of 8 below. Postpaid.....48 bulbs for \$4.98

- 24 89 GB 9829 — MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE. The famous, original pink trumpet daffodil. White perianth.....6 for 89c; 12 for \$1.69
 - 25 89 GB 9833 — FORTUNE. Large cupped daffodil. Rich yellow with light orange crown.....6 for 79c; 12 for \$1.49
 - 26 89 GB 9832 — JOHN EVELYN. Fluted lemon-yellow cup.....6 for 79c; 12 for \$1.49
 - 27 89 GB 9825 — KING ALFRED. Best known and most popular of all Daffodils. Golden-yellow blooms.....6 for 59c; 12 for \$1.09
 - 28 89 GB 9828 — SPRING GLORY. Chrome-yellow trumpet projects from white base. Very popular.....6 for 79c; 12 for \$1.49
 - 29 89 GB 9826 — MT. HOOD. Pure white. Spectacular size.....6 for 89c; 12 for \$1.69
 - 30 89 GB 9827 — ROBIN HOOD. Light yellow. Deep yellow trumpet. 6 for 79c; 12 for \$1.49
 - 31 89 GB 9831 — CHEERFULNESS. Most popular double white daffodil. Fragrant flowers, yellow centers.....6 for 65c; 12 for \$1.19
- 89 GB 9830 — **Large Trumpet Daffodil Garden.** 6 each of 5 varieties (24, 27, 28, 29 and 30). Postpaid.....All 30 bulbs for \$3.29

Giant Size Dutch Hyacinths

Garden of 18 for \$269

- 32 to 37 Delightfully fragrant. Bloom early spring. Holland-grown bulbs, 16 to 17 cent. in size (about 2-in. diam.).

89 GB 9805 — **Hyacinth Garden.** Includes 3 each of 6 below. Postpaid.....18 bulbs \$2.69

- (32) 89 GB 9802 — L'INNOCENCE. Pure white.
- (33) 89 GB 9801 — CITY OF HAARLEM. Yellow.
- (34) 89 GB 9803 — PINK PEARL. Soft pink.
- (35) 89 GB 9806 — OSTARA. Deep blue.
- (36) 89 GB 9804 — MYOSOTIS. Light blue.
- (37) 89 GB 9800 — LA VICTOIRE. Carmine-red.

Prices of Above Hyacinths Postpaid

3 of one variety 55c; 6 of one variety 98c

Imported Border Bulbs

Garden of 75 for \$239

Low growing. Plant in drifts among evergreens, shrubs or other flowers. Imported No. 1 Holland-grown bulbs. Postpaid.

89 GB 9853—**Border Bulb Garden.** 25 Crocus, 25 Scillas, 25 Muscari. All 75 Bulbs for \$2.39

- 38 89 GB 9850 — CROCUS, MIXED. One of the first spring flowers to appear. Bloom as soon as snow is gone. Includes a complete variety of colors including bi-colors.

25 for 89c; 50 for \$1.59; 100 for \$2.79

- 39 89 GB 9851 — MUSCARI. (Grape Hyacinth) Bloom after Crocus. Deep blue flowers.

25 for 79c; 50 for \$1.39; 100 for \$2.49

- 40 89 GB 9852 — SCILLAS, MIXED. (Wood Hyacinth). Bloom same time as Tulips. A mixture of white, blue and rose-pink.

25 for 98c; 50 for \$1.79; 100 for \$3.19





A RED RASPBERRY PATCH
25 Plants for 5.25

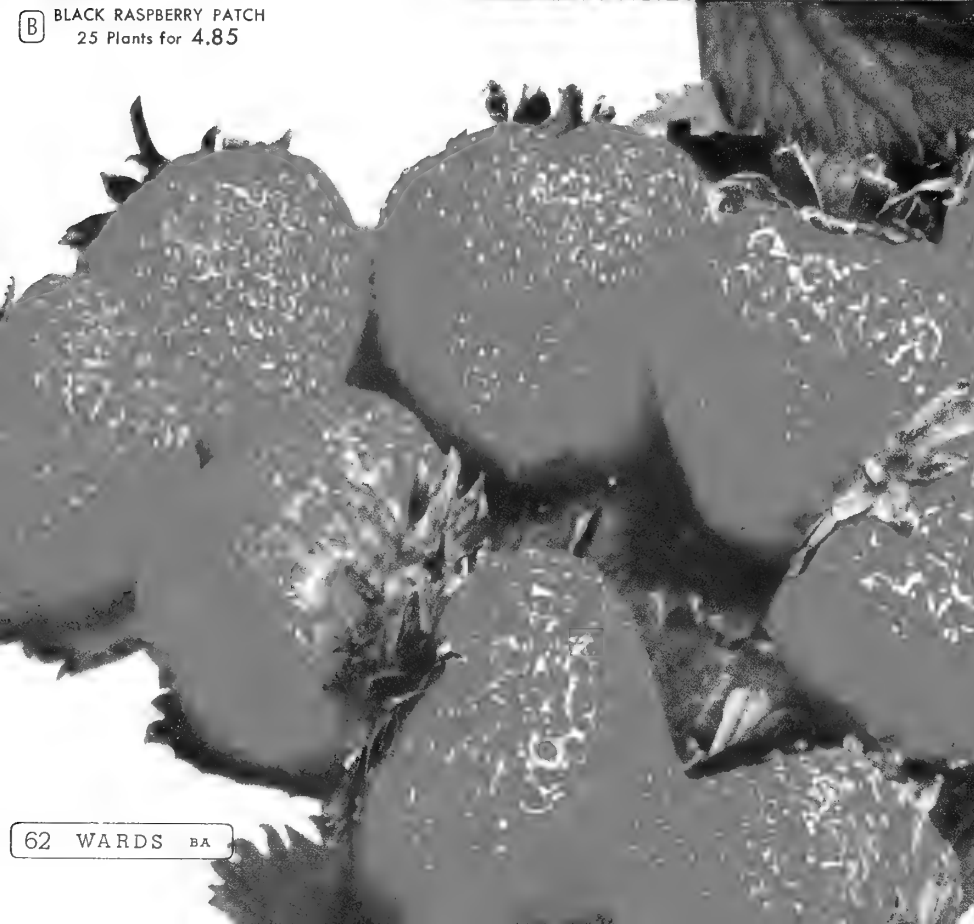
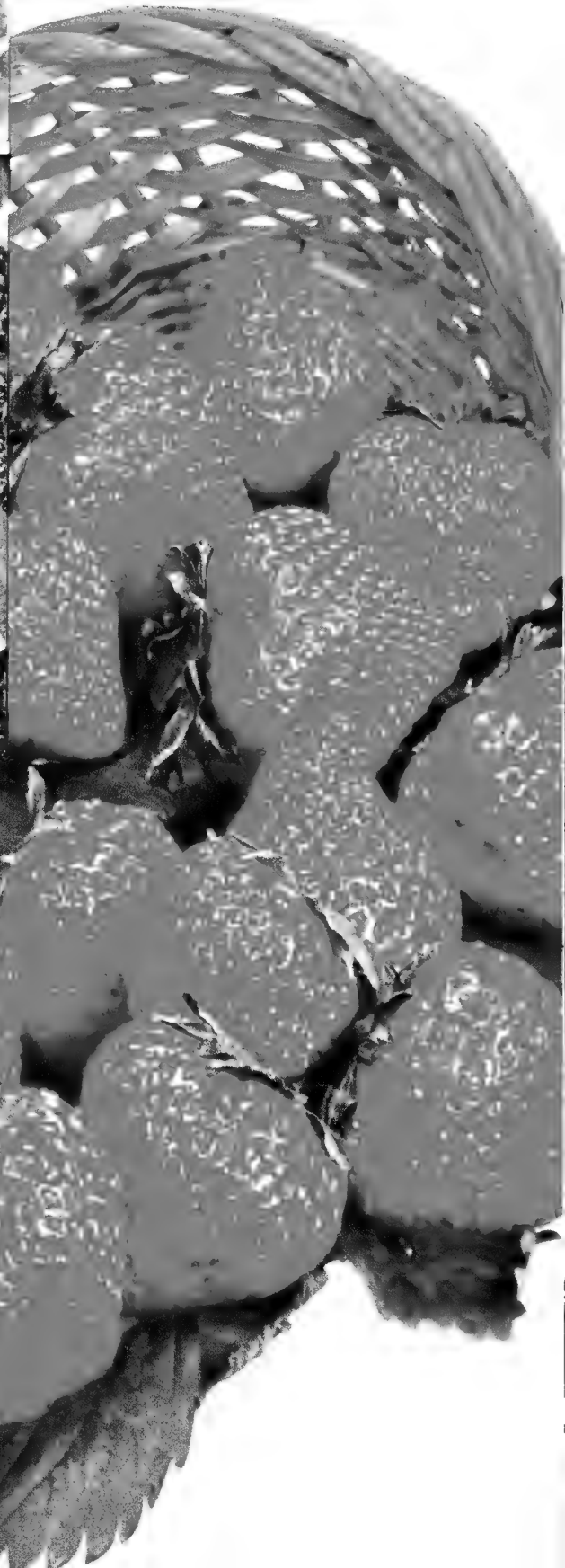


**Garden
Mark**

C SEASON-LONG STRAWBERRY PATCH
100 Plants for 5.95



B BLACK RASPBERRY PATCH
25 Plants for 4.85



Grow Your Own Berries, Enjoy Fresher Flavor

Raspberries—SHIPPED POSTPAID—Cumberland—10 Plants for \$240

Red Raspberry Patch \$525

One of the most profitable of all small fruits. Easy to grow—require little attention. Yield big crop in two years. Enjoy a long season by choosing some early, some midseason, and some late varieties. Raspberries are hardy in zones 1 through 8, but thrive best in zones 4 through 8. Black Raspberries require winter protection in zones 7-8; see Zone Map, Page 6. Red Raspberries are more hardy. All plants are Grade No. 1, state inspected, certified disease and insect free. Plant 3 to 4 ft. apart in rows 6 to 7 ft. apart in spring or fall. Postpaid.

A All hardy and easy to grow. Have plenty of berries for eating fresh, canning or freezing. Includes 10 Indian Summer and 15 Latham, very desirable for freezing, described in detail at left. These are both well-known varieties that are in popular demand each year. Plants are labeled. You save \$1.35.
91 GB 6750—Postpaid. All 25 for \$5.25

91 GB 6700—**Durham Red.** (Red). Enjoy fresh red raspberries from early summer until frost. A wonderful berry for the home garden—delicious for eating fresh, preserving or freezing. Produce a large crop on the old canes, then in just a few weeks new canes start bearing and continue right up to freezing weather. Fruit medium to large, attractive red color and of firm quality. Healthy, vigorous and very hardy. Produce a tremendous crop. Canes grow 3 to 3½ ft. high; just the right height for picking.

91 GB 6702—**Blackhawk.** (Black). Exceptional new variety. Originated at Iowa State College. Proved to be the most productive and hardy of all black cap raspberries tested during a 20-year period. Mid-season berry with large flavorful, glossy black fruit that is firm and does not crumble. Excellent for freezing, and even when canned, berries retain their original form. You will be delighted with the performance of this new berry. Fruit borne on surface of branches, easy to pick.

Black Raspberry Patch \$485

B Will provide more than enough berries for the average family for eating fresh or preserving. Includes 10 Sodus, reddish-purple cross between black and red raspberries, excellent for freezing; and 15 Cumberland plants. These are two of the most popular Black Raspberry varieties. All plants are labeled. You save \$1.30.
91 GB 6757—Postpaid. All 25 for \$4.85

91 GB 6705—**Indian Summer.** (Red). Very large, ever-bearing, deep red raspberries. One of earliest to ripen in summer. Bears another crop in fall. Tall, heavy growers. Rich sweet-flavored berries with small cavity—very fine for home use and profitable for market because they ship so well.

91 GB 6706—**Cumberland.** (Black). A giant size mid-season blackcap that bears large quantities of glossy black berries on stout, stocky canes. Very hardy, disease-resistant, easy to grow. Delicious sweet flavor. A favorite with home and commercial canners. Good shipper. Satisfactory for freezing.

Quick Crop Raspberries

More mature plants with heavier canes and stronger roots. Bear larger crops sooner than sizes at left. Excellent for family garden.

91 GB 6704—**Latham.** (Red). Ripens midseason. Large crops of giant size red raspberries. One of best flavored and most productive. Delicious—fine for jam, jelly, sauce, or eating fresh. Desirable for freezing. Very hardy—withstanding weather to 45° below zero. Ships well. Excellent commercial variety.

91 GB 6712—**Sodus.** (Purple). This Reddish-Purple cross between Red and Black raspberries is very popular. Big, firm berries do not crumble. Tart, delicious, distinctive flavor. Excellent for freezing. Productive, heavy yielder. Has fewer briars. Very hardy—well adapted to cold or dry weather. Late.

91 GB 6710—**Latham Quick Crop.** Postpaid.
5 for \$2.00; 10 for \$3.85; 25 for \$9.45

91 GB 6711—**Cumberland Quick Crop.** Postpaid.
5 for \$2.40; 10 for \$4.35; 25 for \$9.95

State Catalog Number and quantity. Postpaid.

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VARIETY	5 for	10 for	25 for	100 for
Durham	\$2.20	\$3.95	\$8.50	\$29.95
Indian Summer	—	2.70	5.35	16.75
Latham	—	2.60	5.20	16.55

VARIETY	5 for	10 for	25 for	100 for
Blackhawk	\$2.75	\$5.25	\$12.50	\$45.00
Cumberland	—	2.40	4.40	13.20
Sodus	—	2.55	5.00	15.95

WHEN YOU PICK BERRIES FOR FREEZING . . .
Be sure to pick them when they are soft-ripe, with no hard or green portions. It makes a big difference in improved flavor when you serve them later.

Strawberries Recommended for Your State—by Your State

Seasonal Strawberry Varieties

Blakemore. Solid, brilliant red berries ripen early and uniformly. Attractive, solid, and very firm—ideal for shipping. Good for freezing, preserving and market.

91 GB 4004—Shipped Postpaid.
25 for \$1.25; 50 for \$1.95; 100 for \$2.95

Premier. One of the heaviest bearing strawberries. Often 10,000 quarts per acre. One of the first to ripen. Retains color in canning. Considered to be foolproof because of its reputation for always producing a crop. Extra large dark red.

91 GB 4007—Shipped Postpaid.
25 for \$1.30; 50 for \$2.15; 100 for \$3.50

Fairfax. Firm, deep red. Very sweet and juicy. 20 berries often fill quart box. 6000 quarts per acre. Drought and frost resistant. Thick stems hold berries off the ground. Top quality berries. Early.

91 GB 4006—Shipped Postpaid.
25 for \$1.30; 50 for \$2.15; 100 for \$3.50

Catskill. Favorite for freezing. Comes out of freezer with color, flavor and firmness preserved. Extra-large, brilliant red berries in midseason. Mild and sweet even in northern states. Very productive.

91 GB 4008—Shipped Postpaid.
25 for \$1.30; 50 for \$2.15; 100 for \$3.50

Sparkle. Very attractive; high quality berry is crimson red all through. Medium to large size. Delicious flavor. Ripens mid-season. Excellent for fresh market or freezing. Adapted for northern states.

91 GB 4002—Shipped Postpaid.
25 for \$2.25; 50 for \$3.75; 100 for \$6.00

Buy this Garden—Save 65c

Seasonal Strawberry Garden. Requires a bed 10 x 30 ft. Includes 25 Fairfax, 25 Catskill, 25 Blakemore and 25 Premier. Shipped Postpaid. Varieties labeled.

91 GB 4012.....100 plants for \$4.50

Everbearing Red-Rich

Bigger, redder, sweeter berries with abundance of natural sugar. Solid, firm. Ripens clear red right through center. Hybridizers used 15,000 seedling plants to produce this remarkable berry. A top quality dessert berry borne on strong rugged plants. Tall growing. Good, heavy yielder. Good for freezing. Very hardy. Plant Pat. 993.

91 GB 4025—Postpaid.....12 for \$2.95
25 for \$5.00; 50 for \$8.50; 100 for \$15.00

Everbearing Strawberry Varieties

Gem. One of the biggest crop producers. Especially fruitful in fall; continues to bear late in the season. Bright red berries, firm, slightly tart, but delicious flavor. Good dependable variety under many varying growing conditions. Deep roots enable them to thrive even in hot, dry weather. Good for freezing.

91 GB 4000—Shipped Postpaid.
25 for \$2.40; 50 for \$4.00; 100 for \$6.40

Superfection. A newer, better variety. Bright red. Keeps color, firmness. Somewhat tart but delicious. Best for home, local market. A favorite for canning. Bears heavily from June until frost.

91 GB 4031—Shipped Postpaid.
25 for \$2.50; 50 for \$4.15; 100 for \$6.50

20th Century. New variety that thrives in almost any soil. Huge size. Red color from heart out; no green tips. Honey-sweet. Superior variety for jelly, jam or fresh use. Excellent shipper. Heavy bearer.

91 GB 4022—Shipped Postpaid.
25 for \$2.95; 50 for \$4.95; 100 for \$8.95

Buy This Garden and Save \$1.40

Requires a bed 10 by 30 ft. 50 Gem and 50 Superfection. Postpaid. Labeled.

91 GB 4013.....100 plants for \$6.75

Enjoy the Bigger Crops You Get With the Right Variety

If you plant a strawberry variety recommended for your state you'll have a bumper crop instead of just an average crop under the same growing conditions. In order to serve you better than ever before we asked an outstanding authority on strawberries to make a survey for us. The survey covered 54 Experiment Stations and Sub-stations throughout the United States. The varieties offered on this page are based on this survey.

In a state like New York, with widely different climate, the recommended varieties vary. Consult your county agent or a successful gardener in your area before making your selection.

Wards healthy plants reach you with big, husky roots, ready to produce the maximum in quality and quantity. Plant Strawberries in a sunny position, 15 inches apart in rows 30 inches apart in spring or fall. (Commercial plantings require more space.) Strawberries are self pollinating. Thrive in all zones. Seasonal strawberries produce a crop in spring only. Everbearing strawberries bear over a three-month period from spring through fall. Begin to yield 60 to 90 days after planting.

CHECK YOUR STATE—SELECT VARIETIES BEST FOR YOU

Variety of Strawberry Recommended For Your State	Connecticut	Delaware	Florida	Georgia	Maine	Maryland	Mass.	New Hamp.	New Jersey	New York	No. Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Rhode Island	So. Carolina	Tennessee	Vermont	Virginia	W. Virginia	Wash. D. C.
Blakemore		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Catskill	X				X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Fairfax	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Gem					X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Premier	X				X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Red-Rich	X	X				X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Sparkle	X				X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Superfection	X	X			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
20th Century						X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

C 91 GB 4016—Season-long Strawberry Patch. Includes 50 Catskill (Seasonal), and 50 Superfection (Everbearing)..100 for \$5.95

USE THIS BOOK FOR BOTH SPRING AND FALL ORDERING. THE DESCRIPTIONS STATE WHICH ITEMS MAY BE PLANTED IN SPRING OR FALL.

BUY ON TIME—SEE PG. 50.

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ARBOR OF 6 HARDY GRAPES
2-Yr. Size 2.95—Postpaid



BLUEBERRIES—2-Yr. Size
Postpaid—2 for 2.55



BLACKBERRIES



BOYSENBERRIES



GOOSEBERRIES—2-Yr. Size
Postpaid—Each 1.10

Grow Extra Flavor Even in Small Areas

Grapes—2-Year Size—Low as 65¢ Each

Plant 3-4 ft. apart along back yard fence or arbor. Enjoy the big, full bunches of delicious fruit every year. As attractive and useful as any other ornamental vine. Once planted they will last for years with practically no special care. Often yield during second season. Easy to grow. Thrive in any type soil. Hardy in zones 1 through 8; plant in sheltered spot in zone 9 (for zone map see Page 6). Prune during winter season while dormant. Plant in spring or fall. All Grade No. 1 plants, both 1-year and 2-year. Planting guide included. *Shipped Postpaid* direct from Nursery at proper planting time for your locality.

91 GB 6602—**Caco (Red)**. Sweet and juicy two weeks before fully ripe. Pump, compact bunches. Wine red Rich flavor. One of the hardest Red Grapes. Ripens just before Concord. Winter protect in Zone 8.

Shipped Postpaid. State Catalog Number, Quantity.
2-Year Size: Each 70c, 5 for \$3.20, 25 for \$14.95

91 GB 6604—**Fredonia (Black)**. Large round grapes are tender, juicy and solid. Sweet spicy flavor. Fine for jelly. Has more sugar than most. Early—ripens 1 to 2 weeks ahead of Concord.

Shipped Postpaid. State Catalog Number, Quantity.
2-Year Size: Each 65c, 5 for \$2.75; 25 for \$12.50

Quick Crop Grapes—Larger Size

Plants are more mature—have more fully developed root system and larger canes. Usually bear sooner and more heavily the first few years than smaller sizes above. All are strong 3-Yr. Size plants. *Postpaid.*

91GB6618—**CACO**..... Ea. 85c, 5 for \$3.75
91GB6615—**CONCORD**..... Ea. 75c, 5 for 3.25
91GB6617—**NIAGARA**..... Ea. 85c, 5 for 3.75

91 GB 6608—**Moore Early (Black)**. Large, firm bunches; rich pungent flavor. Vines extremely hardy—resistant to mildew and disease. Ripens 1 to 2 weeks earlier than Concord. Valuable commercial variety. Bears a heavy crop.

Shipped Postpaid. State Catalog Number, Quantity.
2-Year Size: Each 70c; 5 for \$3.20; 25 for \$14.95

91 GB 6609—**Niagara (White)**. Called White Concord. Superb flavor. Large greenish white grapes on vigorous, prolific vines. Good market variety.

Shipped Postpaid. State Catalog Number, Quantity.
2-Year Size: Each 70c; 5 for \$3.20; 25 for \$14.95

Arbor of 6 Hardy Grapes—2-Yr. Size \$2⁹⁵

Big Six Grape Arbor. 3 Concord (Blue), largest yield of any grape known; 1 Caco (Red), hardest Red ever produced; 1 Fredonia (Black), sweet spicy flavor; and 1 Niagara (White), a market value. Grade No. 1. *State Cat. No.*

91 GB 6621—1 Year. *Postpaid*..... 6 for \$2.15
91 GB 6620—2 Year. *Postpaid*..... 6 for 2.95

Concord Grapes—2-Yr. Size 2 for 95¢

Most widely grown, and most popular grape for all home uses. Biggest yield per vine of any grape. Best for every soil and climate. Withstands temperatures as low as 30° below zero. Tender, juicy, extra sweet. Most popular for jelly and juice. Ripens early fall. Grade No. 1 plants.

91 GB 6601—*State size and quantity. Postpaid.*
1 year size..... 2 for 80c, 5 for \$ 1.70
25..... for \$7.75, 100 for..... 27.50
2 year size..... 2 for 95c, 5 for 2.00
25..... for \$9.75, 100 for..... 32.50

Ontario—Hardy White Grape

No. 1 2-Yr. Size—70¢ Each

Ontario. Early white grape. Large bunches of delicious medium to large size grapes. Fine for table or canning. Best flavor if picked as soon as ripe. Hardy zones 1 through 8, protect in zone 9.

91 GB 6612—2 year, No. 1 size. *Postpaid.*
Each 70c, 5 for \$3.20, 25 for \$14.95

Interlaken. New seedless grape. Hardy to 20° below zero. Ripens early. Rich golden color. Very sweet flavor. Crisp, meaty flesh. Medium size clusters. Keeps well in cold storage. One of the first grapes to combine the hardness of the American grape with quality of tender varieties.

NOT AVAILABLE

Berries For Pies, Preserves, Freezing—All Plants Shipped Postpaid

Blueberries 2-Year Size, 2 for \$2⁵⁵

Blueberry bushes will last a lifetime with ordinary care. Grow best in a sandy, acid soil. These thornless bushes make picking easy—fruit is well off the ground. Sweet, tender berries are excellent for freezing, canning, pies or eating fresh. For best fruiting, plant two varieties 5 to 8 ft. apart. Wards offer both 2-yr. and 3-yr. Blueberry plants, all Grade No. 1. *Shipped spring only* Zones 1 through 8. Not hardy in zone 9. See Zone Map Pg. 6 for advice on your area.

91 GB 6820—**Jersey**. Ripens midseason. Vigorous, hardy, upright bushes. Extra large, light blue berries. Firm, sweetly-flavored. A pie favorite and an excellent shipper.

91 GB 6818—**Rancocas**. A heavy crop of medium to large size fruit of very fine flavor. Vigorous and hardy. Prune heavily. Early.

91 GB 6819—**Rubel**. Ripens late. Large very luscious berries. Hardy. Good shipper.

Prices of Above Blueberries

State Cat. No., Quantity and size. Postpaid.

Size Plant	2 for	6 for
3-Year, No. 1	\$3.00	\$8.70
2-Year, No. 1	2.55	7.35

Blueberry Garden Low as 3 for \$3⁴⁵

1 each of Jersey, Rancocas and Rubel above. All Grade Number 1. *Postpaid.*

91 GB 6822—3-Year Size..... 3 for \$4.35

91 GB 6821—2-Year Size..... 3 for 3.45

Freezing Retains Sun-ripened Flavor



Thornless Giant Boysenberries—10 for \$2⁷⁰

Largest developed. Unsurpassed for eating fresh, canning, preserving, pies. Cross of Blackberry, Raspberry and Loganberry—practically seedless. Dark maroon color.

Grow almost everywhere, require little care. Bear second year and yield bumper crops from then on. Plant 4 to 6 ft. apart in rows 6 ft. apart, in spring only. Not hardy in zone 9. Winter protect in zones 7 and 8. See Zone Map on Page 6. Wards ship 1-year, Grade No. 1 tips.

91 GB 6801—**Thornless Giant Boysenberry**. About 50 of these plump, inch-thick berries will fill a quart box. A full quart of juice from every 8 lbs. of fruit. Almost thornless canes make plants easy to care for. *Postpaid.*

10 for \$2.70; 25 for \$4.95; 100 for \$15.95

Gooseberries, \$1¹⁰ Each

Grade No. 1, 2-year plants. Excellent for freezing. Plant 3-4 ft. apart, spring or fall. Hardy in all zones. Shelter from heat in warm climates. *Postpaid.*

91 GB 6840—**Pixwell**. Large berries. Vigorous plants produce large crops. Almost thornless, easy to pick.

91 GB 6841—**Downing**. Juicy, light green berries. Best for canning and pies. Mildew-resistant plants.

Prices of Above Gooseberries. Each \$1.10; 5 for \$4.95

91 GB 6845—**Gooseberry Garden**. Includes 2 Pixwell and 1 Downing plants above. *Postpaid*..... All 3 for \$2.85

91 GB 6847—**Downing Quick Crop**. More mature plants. Bear crop sooner. *Postpaid.* Each \$1.25; 5 for \$5.75

Blackberries—Eldorado, 10 for \$2¹⁰

Big, juicy, flavorful berries. Plant 3 to 4 ft. apart, rows 8 ft. apart, spring or fall. Hardy zones 1 through 8, need winter protection in zone 8. Grade No. 1, 2-year plants. *Postpaid.*

91 GB 6814—**Ebony King**. New, upright Blackberry. Sweet delicious flavor. Very hardy. Bears before hot weather. *Shipped in Spring only.*

5 for..... \$2.50; 10 for..... \$4.60
25 for..... \$10.25; 100 for..... \$38.00

91 GB 6815—**Alfred**. One of the largest, hardest and best flavored blackberries.

10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.75; 100 for \$14.95

91 GB 6816—**Eldorado**. Large, shiny, jet black fruit with a superb, spicy flavor.

10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.75; 100 for \$14.95

91 GB 6817—**Eldorado Quick Crop**. Larger, more mature plants. Produce a crop sooner.

5 for \$1.50; 10 for \$2.75; 25 for \$6.25

Dewberries—10 for \$2¹⁰

91 GB 6811—**Gardenia**. Larger and better tasting than the Blackberry. Sweet, juicy black fruit. Canes are practically thornless. Hardy zones 1 through 8, protect in Zones 7 and 8. 1-year Grade No. 1 plants shipped in spring only. *Postpaid.*

10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.75; 100 for \$15.95

Currants—Garden of 3 for \$2²⁵

A favorite for jelly. Require very little care. Hardy almost to the Arctic Circle. Prefer moist, well-drained loam. Plant 3 to 5 ft. apart in rows 4 to 6 ft. apart, spring or fall. Hardy all zones. Thrive best in zones 5 through 9.

91 GB 6830—**Red Lake**. Large clear, light red berries hang in long, full clusters. Few seeds.

91 GB 6831—**Perfection**. Large bright red clusters of plump berries. Bears heavily.

Prices of Above Currants Shipped Postpaid

2-Year, Grade No. 1..... Each 85c; 5 for \$2.75

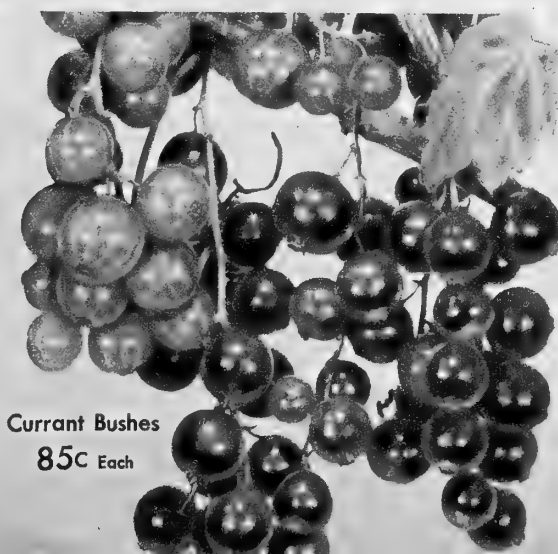
91 GB 6833—**Currant Garden**. Includes 2 Red Lake and 1 Perfection described above.

2-Year, Grade No. 1. *Postpaid*... All 3 for \$2.25

91 GB 6834—**Red Lake Quick Crop**. Larger, bear sooner. *Postpaid*..... Each \$1.00; 5 for \$4.50

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Currant Bushes
85¢ Each

HOW TO BUY A FRUIT TREE

MAKE THIS 4-POINT TEST BEFORE YOU BUY

When you buy fruit trees at Wards you can buy with confidence because you have the assurance that you will receive just the size tree you order, and whatever size you buy the quality is the very best.

Fruit Trees are an investment not only of money but of time and labor—to say nothing of the space they occupy until they come into bearing. To get the most from this investment, before you order trees, or when you compare prices, be sure to check the quality of the trees on these 4 important points:

1. Be sure to check the height of the tree.
2. Be sure you know the Caliper of Tree (the trunk diameter) taken at the base of the tree, two inches above the crown. This is more important than height.
3. Be assured that the trees you buy are all disease-free, true-to-name varieties, and that they are from parent trees whose bearing characteristics have been proven.
4. Be sure that the tree has been topped and pruned in the Nursery Row to assure good sturdy branches that will be least likely to break off when loaded with fruit, or in wind.

Here Is Wards Answer to the Above 4-Point Fruit Tree Test

Check each point and you'll know why Wards Fruit Trees are a good investment:

1. You Get Accurate Size and Grade: Wards Fruit Trees are graded to standards of the American Association of Nurserymen—both for caliper (diameter of trunk) and for height. In addition, good soil and proper cultivation in the nursery row give them a good root system, sturdy trunk, good top growth.

2. Caliper (not height) Governs Grade of Tree: See actual size trunk diameters shown at left and taken at base of tree, two inches above the crown. Following is a brief description of each size.

Dwarf Fruit Trees: Trees are 2-year size. The height and trunk diameter vary according to kind of tree. These sizes are indicated on the opposite page. Trees come with heavy roots and strong branches. Dwarf trees bear a little sooner than regular size trees. Fruit is same size and quality as fruit of same variety on regular size trees, but tree will grow only 8 to 10 feet tall. Excellent for back yard gardens.

Small Size Fruit Trees: Trees come 3 to 4 feet tall. Caliper or trunk diameter is $\frac{7}{16}$ to $\frac{9}{16}$ inch. Trees are well rooted and lightly branched. This size is easier to plant than larger sizes, and takes hold readily. Usually chosen for commercial orchards, or other large plantings where time is not an element, but where economy and ease of shaping is of importance. Larger sizes are recommended for home use.

When you buy Peach Trees, the small size measures 2 to 3 feet in height, and caliper is $\frac{5}{16}$ to $\frac{7}{16}$ inch. This is standard for small size peach trees; their rapid growth soon makes up this difference in size and matches other fruit trees for size.

Medium Size. Trees come 4 to 5 feet tall. Caliper measures $\frac{9}{16}$ to $\frac{11}{16}$ inch. This size has larger roots, more branches. Often bear about one year earlier than small size. Often planted when a quicker return on investment is needed. Medium size Peach Trees are 3 to 4 feet tall, $\frac{7}{16}$ to $\frac{9}{16}$ -inch caliper.

Large Size. Trees come 5 to 6 feet tall. Caliper measures $\frac{11}{16}$ to $\frac{7}{8}$ inch. Heavier roots, stronger branches. Bears about same time as medium, but provides a heavier crop the first few years. Usually used for small farm and home orchards. Large size Peach trees are 4 to 5 feet tall. $\frac{9}{16}$ to $\frac{11}{16}$ -inch caliper.

Quick Crop Size. Extra large, extra heavy. Comes 5 to 7 feet tall, $\frac{7}{8}$ to 1-inch caliper. Except for Sour Cherry trees which are 5 to $5\frac{1}{2}$ feet tall but same caliper as other Quick Crop Size trees. Better branched and usually bear fruit earlier than ordinary trees. Ideal size for home owners who want quicker growth and earlier bearing. Quick Crop Size Peach trees are 5 to 6 feet tall, Caliper measures $\frac{11}{16}$ to $\frac{13}{16}$ inch. See Page 52 for Wards large selection of these popular Quick Crop Fruit Trees.

These Hidden Qualities Will Prove Their Worth



Fruit Tree being budded.



Fruit Tree being pruned.

3. All Wards Fruit trees are from bearing proven orchards. They get their start in the fertile, famous-for-fruit Yakima Valley in Washington State, and in other commercial orchard areas where each particular variety or type of fruit does best. Buds are selected from yield-proven orchards to assure fullest possible crop in your region. Trees are budded or grafted and planted in areas of rich soil where they get growth and climate conditioning. They are pruned for heavier growth, sprayed for healthy development and state inspected to assure freedom from disease and insects.

The orchards in which Wards fruit trees are grown are regularly examined by specialists from State Colleges in various areas. This method of double checking is to assure you that every fruit tree is true-to-name in variety.

4. All Wards Fruit trees have been topped and carefully pruned by experts. This extra care in the nursery row, is to provide proper branching where main branches join the trunk. Unless this is done properly, a branch may split from the tree just when it's loaded with fruit, or may split more easily in heavy winds.

Wards sources for fruit trees are among the largest wholesale growers of fruit trees in the United States. They all have more than 50 years experience in this field and are well known for growing fine fruit varieties.

All Wards Nursery Stock Shipped Postpaid

All Wards Nursery stock is Shipped Prepaid direct from Nursery at proper planting time for your locality. When you order from Wards there is nothing more to pay. Bear in mind, when comparing prices: if you had to pay the shipping cost in some instances, this would be as much as the cost of a single tree. The minimum Express Charges are \$2.22 to send a 6-8-ft. tree a distance of 300 miles. Buy on Wards Easy Payment Plan or Home Improvement Plan. See Page 50 for details.

This book is for year-round use. Orders may be placed for both spring and fall planting. If prices go down during the life of the book, you will receive the benefit of the lower price.



- Easy to care for—Ideal fruit tree for home garden
- One tree requires a space only 6 ft. by 6 ft.
- Same high quality fruit as on standard size trees.

Regular Size Fruit from Dwarf Size Trees

DWARF FRUIT TREES—8 TO 10 FEET TALL AT MATURITY

Dwarf Fruit Trees bear sooner than large trees—often in two years. They're easy to spray and care for, and easy to harvest. Just a few trees can bring a lot of pleasure. In spring they are a beautiful mass of bloom; throughout summer the ripening fruit is ornamental; and at harvest time you can enjoy tree ripened fruit from your

own "pint size" orchard. For best fruiting results, plant at least two varieties for proper pollination of apples and pears. Plant in spring or fall. Sour cherry and peaches which we offer, are self-pollinating. See Page 6 for zone information. Climate requirements are the same for dwarf trees as for standard trees.

Dwarf Apple Trees, Postpaid Each \$3⁷⁵

91 GB 6145—**Red Delicious**. Ripens in fall. Flavorful, juicy, firm-fleshed apples are deep red with a 5-knob shape. Keeps well. Popular eating apple.

91 GB 6147—**McIntosh**. Ripens in fall. Bright crimson apple with contrasting, snow-white flesh. Retains its color after picking. Tender and juicy. Delicious flavor.

91 GB 6149—**Red Jonathan**. Ripens in Fall. Bright red apples. Crisp, tender white flesh is fine grained, juicy, full of flavor. Long lived. Keeps well.

91 GB 6146—**Yellow Delicious**. Glossy, golden yellow. Crisp, firm, creamy yellow flesh, tangy flavor. One of the finest ever developed. For cooking or eating fresh. Grows well almost anywhere. Good pollinator.

Prices of above Apple Trees. Shipped Postpaid.

3 to 3½-ft. size. 9/16-inch trunk diam. State Cat. No. 1 to 3 trees... Each \$3.75; 4 or more... Each \$3.60

Delcon Dwarf Apple, Each \$3³⁵

Recent development in Dwarf Fruits. Beautifully formed trees. Fruit resembles both Red Delicious and Jonathan apples, for flavor. Flesh is fine-grained, juicy. Ripens about ten days before Red Delicious. 3½ to 4-ft. size. 9/16-11/16-in. Trunk diameter.

91 GB 6143—Postpaid. Each \$3.35; 4 or more, Each \$3.25

Dwarf Peach Trees, Each \$3⁵⁰

91 GB 6441—**Polly**. Freestone. Creamy yellow with a crimson blush. Flesh is white, firm, juicy, with a rich flavor. Remains firm when canned. Withstands cold to 20° below zero. Ripens before Elberta. Self-pollinating.

91 GB 6440—**Elberta**. Yellow freestone. Medium size. Oval shape with rosy blush. Most popular of all Peach varieties. Firm, fine-grained, sweet flesh. Self-pollinating.

Prices of Above Peach Trees. Postpaid

2 to 3½-ft. size. 7/16-in. trunk diameter. State Cat. No. 1 to 3 trees, Each \$3.50; 4 or more trees... Each \$3.25

Dwarf Pear Trees, Each \$3³⁵

91 GB 6215—**Bartlett**. Best early pear. One of the finest for eating fresh or canning. Produces big crops of large well flavored fruit. Good pollinator.

91 GB 6216—**Clapp Favorite**. Hardy, blight resistant. Pale lemon-yellow, red cheeks dotted brown. Delicious flavor. Ripens about 14 days before Bartlett.

91 GB 6219—**Flemish Beauty**. Medium to large. Honey-sweet flavor when fully ripe. Yellow with reddish brown cheek. Excellent for canning. Very hardy.

Prices of Above Pear Trees Shipped Postpaid

3 to 3½-ft. size. 7/16-inch trunk diameter. State Cat. No. 1 to 3 trees... Each \$3.35; 4 or more... Each \$3.20

Dwarf Max-Red Bartlett Pear, Each \$3⁷⁵

For a new taste thrill, try a Max-Red Pear. Bartlett parentage, with all of the fine qualities of the Bartlett strain, plus the added appeal of rich, red skin coloring. Color does not carry through into the fruit. Firm, appetizing, fine-grained flesh is exceptionally sweet; has 10% more sugar by actual test. Excellent for canning. Does best in heavy, moderately fertile soils, but grows in any soil that is well drained. Allow 12 ft. for each tree. Plant Patent No. 741. 3 to 4-ft. size. 9/16-in. caliper. Postpaid.

91 GB 6220—1 to 3, Each \$3.75; 4 or more, Each \$3.60

Dwarf-Rich Cherry Trees, Ea. \$3³⁵

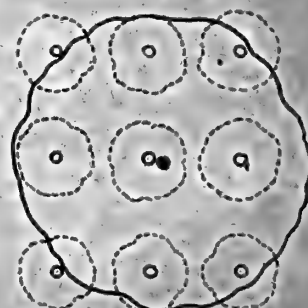
(Sour). Grows only 6 ft. tall, and almost as wide as it is high. Beautifully branched, and compact in growth habit. A favorite of landscapers because the tree is so adaptable. Very ornamental even during winter when branches make striking silhouette, in spring with its white blossoms, and exceptionally beautiful in summer when branches are covered with bright red fruit. Cherries look and taste like Early Richmond Sour Cherry. Ripens about ten days after Early Richmond. Hardy through zone 7:2 to 3-ft. size; trunk diam. 7/16 in. Postpaid.

91 GB 6376—Each \$3.35; 4 or more... Each \$3.15

Enjoy A "Pint-Size" Orchard

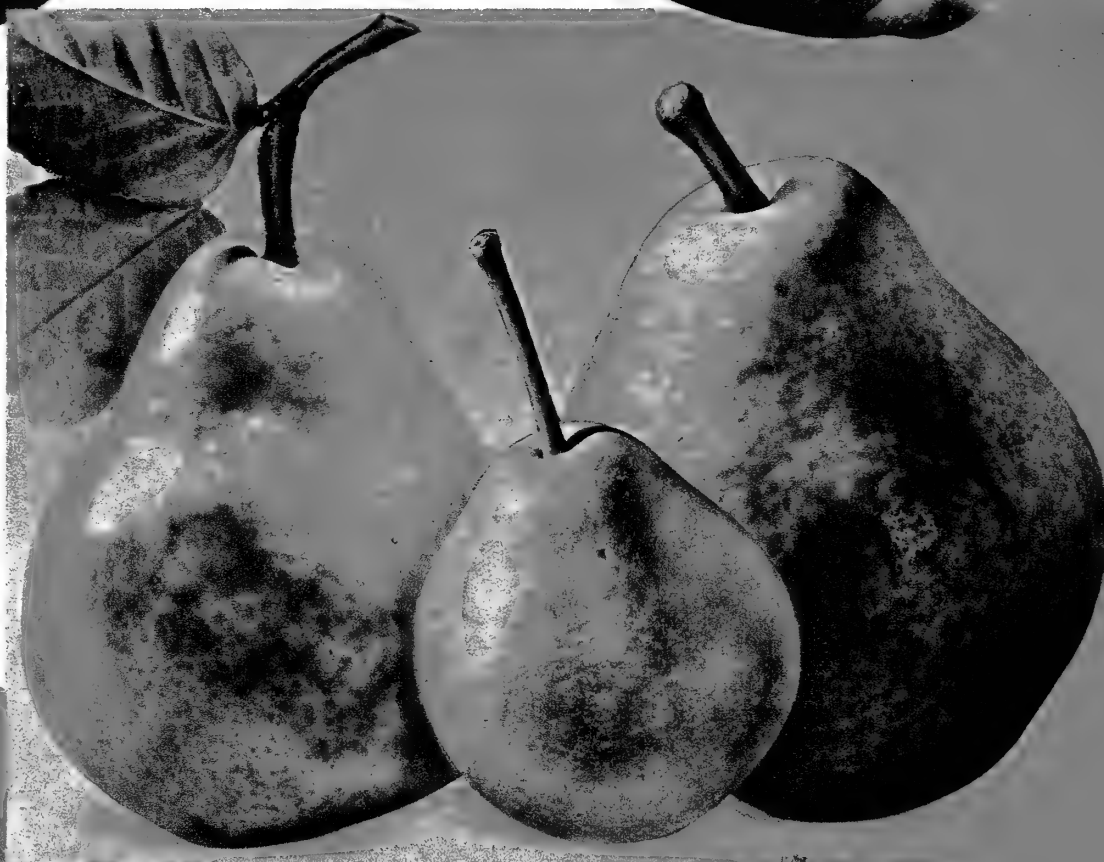
Dwarf Fruit Trees are becoming more and more popular as home owners become familiar with their growing habits. A perfect solution for those who wish to grow their own fruit, but do not have sufficient planting area to accommodate regular-size fruit trees. Now, with Dwarf Fruit Trees, even the back yard gardener may enjoy a delicious variety of taste thrills from his own sun-ripened fruits. Nine Dwarf trees can be planted in the space usually occupied by just one ordinary apple tree.

Dwarf trees may be planted 12 ft. apart; you can have an entire orchard in a 36-ft. square area; apples, peaches, pears and cherries. (See chart below.) Plant two varieties of all except Sour Cherry, to insure pollination. Sour Cherries are self-pollinating. Plant Dwarf Fruit Trees in well-drained soil in full sun.

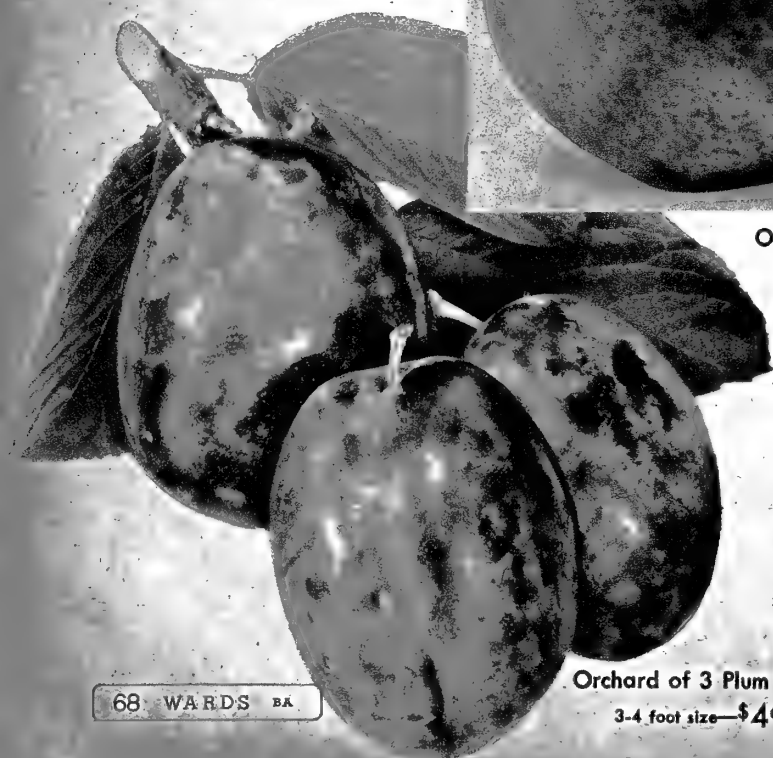




Orchard of 4 Apple Trees 3-4 foot size—\$420



Orchard of 3 Pear Trees 3-4 foot size—\$465



Orchard of 3 Plum Trees
3-4 foot size—\$465



Buy Wards Trees—Get Accurate Grade, Size

FRUIT TREES ALL SHIPPED POSTPAID FOR SPRING OR FALL PLANTING

TWO YEAR FIELD GROWN APPLE TREES 3-4-ft. size Postpaid Each \$145

Wards Apple Trees are budded or grafted from bearing-proven orchards. Root stock is grown in one of the most fertile apple-producing valleys of the west. Two-year field grown trees are grown in an area well known for fruit. They are pruned for heavier growth, sprayed for healthy development, and state-inspected for freedom from insects and disease. Apple trees are hardy through Zone 8 except where noted. Thrive best in well-drained locations such

as gentle sloping hillsides, but will grow in almost any soil even when not specially fertile. Plant at least 2 varieties for bigger yields and proper pollination. Plant 30 to 40 ft. apart. Summer apples ripen early to midsummer; fall apples in late summer and early fall; and winter apples in fall. Shipped Postpaid in spring or fall. Trees larger than 4-5 ft. shipped prepaid express. Be sure to state nearest Express office. Read Wards Guarantee—Pg. 4.

Apples for Early and Late Fall—Late Fall Varieties Best for Winter Storage

91 GB 6116—**Dark Red Jonathan.** Retains Jonathan excellence with deeper, richer coloring. Delicious, juicy flesh. Very hardy. Heavy bearer. Packs, ships and stores well. Thrives almost anywhere. Ripens in fall.

91 GB 6115—**Baldwin.** Heavy producer. Bright red fruit is large, smooth. Good for eating or cooking. Crisp, juicy. Fine shipper. Ripens late fall.

91 GB 6108—**Double Red Delicious.** Bears sooner than regular Delicious—often four years after planting. Extra large 5-knob apples—always a premium price at market. Flesh is fine-grained, crisp, juicy. Ripens late fall.

91 GB 6111—**Red Rome Beauty.** (Gallia Beauty). Famous for its exquisite flavor. Solid red. Firm, sweet, crisp and juicy. Keeps all winter. Hardy through Zone 7. Good for eating, drying, baking, cooking. Ripens late fall.

91 GB 6112—**Stayman Winesap.** An established favorite. Large, red, juicy fruit. Spicy flavor. Tree is a vigorous grower and comes into bearing early. Reliable, big crop producer. Hardy through Zone 7. Ripens late fall.

91 GB 6107—**Yellow Delicious.** Glossy, golden fruits. Same size and shape as Red Delicious. Crisp, firm, creamy yellow flesh, tangy flavor. Good winter keeper. For cooking or eating fresh. Good pollinator. Ripens late fall.

91 GB 6104—**McIntosh Solid Red.** Red apple, white flesh. Tender, juicy. A good bearer. For eating, cooking, drying, cider. Ripens early fall.

91 GB 6105—**Wealthy.** Big red and green striped apple. Firm white flesh, tender, juicy, wine-like flavor. Ideal for market. Heavily productive while young. Ripens early fall.

Summer Apples

91 GB 6102—**Duchess Red.** (Van Buren Strain). Red fruits, somewhat striped. Unusually hardy. Tender and juicy. Good shipper. First red to ripen.

91 GB 6113—**Yellow Transparent.** Large, yellow fruit. Flesh is crisp, white, sweet, juicy. Good pollinator. Big crops even after severe winters. Grows almost everywhere.

New Jonadel Apple—Ea. \$250

A cross of Jonathan and Red Delicious apples introduced by Iowa State College. Delightfully combines the mildness of Red Delicious and the tartness of Jonathan. Same shape as Jonathan, but larger. Ripens late fall. Keeps well. Glossy red. Good market variety. Trees are 4 to 5-ft. size. 9/16-in. trunk diam. Shipped Express Prepaid for spring or fall planting.

91 GB 6121—1 to 3.....Each \$2.50
4 or more.....Each 2.35

Apple Orchard of 4 Trees \$420

Includes 1 Double Red Delicious, 1 Yellow Transparent, 1 Jonathan Dark Red and 1 Hyslop Crab. 2 year size. State Cat. No. Postpaid.

91 GB 6175—3 to 4 ft.....4 for \$4.20
91 GB 6176—5 to 6 ft.....4 for 7.20

Bargain Orchard of 4 Trees \$295

Includes 1 Double Red Delicious, 1 Yellow Transparent, 1 Red Jonathan and 1 Red McIntosh. Unbranched, 1-year whips from the same healthy stock described above. Postpaid.

91 GB 6171—3 to 4 ft.....4 for \$2.95

PRICES OF ALL APPLES LISTED ON THIS PAGE (except Jonadel priced at right)

State Catalog Number, height. Give nearest Express Station.

Height	Trunk Diameter	1 to 3 Each	4 to 7 Each	8 or more Each
3 to 4 feet	7/16 to 9/16 in.	\$1.45	\$1.30	\$1.10
4 to 5 feet	9/16 to 1 1/16 in.	1.75	1.60	1.45
5 to 6 feet	1 1/16 to 7/8 in.	2.25	2.00	1.90

5-7 Ft. QUICK CROP APPLES ON PAGE 72. DWARF APPLE TREES ON PAGE 67.

PEAR TREES 3 to 4-ft. size, Postpaid Each \$185

All Wards Pear Trees are healthy, dependable, easily-grown varieties. Wards ship sturdy 2-year old trees, vigorous and well rooted. All have been sprayed and pruned for proper growth. All are budded or grafted from bearing orchards to assure choice fruit. Pear trees are hardy and will thrive wherever apple trees grow, but produce better in clay loam. At least two varieties should be planted for proper pollination and best yield. Plant 30 to 40 ft. apart, spring or fall. Shipped Postpaid. See Page 67 for Dwarf Pears.

91 GB 6201—**Bartlett.** Best early pear. Most popular for eating fresh. Bears enormous crops of large, fine-grained yellow fruit. Juicy, sweet, excellent flavor. Best pear for canning and home uses. Unusually disease-resistant. A good pollinator.

91 GB 6202—**Douglas.** Combines hardness with richer flavor, finer texture, and more attractive appearance than Bartlett. Golden-yellow with pink shading. Flesh is tender and juicy. Trees bear early, often 3 years after planting. A good pollinator for other varieties.

91 GB 6203—**Kieffer.** Large, yellow fruits with vermillion blush. Crisp, juicy flesh is ideal for canning. Good winter keeper. Successfully grown in extreme Southern States. Blight resistant. Good pollinator.

91 GB 6205—**Seckel.** Rich, spicy, extra juicy. Small, russet-yellow fruit, bronze cheek, firm flesh. Good for eating fresh, excellent for pickling. Hardy. Blight resistant.

91 GB 6206—**Clapp Favorite.** Largest lemon yellow fruit with a dark red blush. Rich, juicy, delicate flavor. Hardy, blight-resistant trees.

Prices Above Pear Trees. State Cat. No., Height, nearest Express Station.

Height	Trunk Diameter	1 to 3	4 to 7	8 or more
3 to 4 ft.	7/16 to 9/16 inch.....	\$1.85 Each	\$1.70 Each	\$1.55 Each
4 to 5 ft.	9/16 to 1 1/16 inch.....	2.10 Each	1.95 Each	1.80 Each
5 to 6 ft.	1 1/16 inch to 7/8 inch.....	2.45 Each	2.30 Each	2.15 Each

FOR THE 5 TO 7-FT. POPULAR QUICK CROP SIZE PEAR TREES SEE PAGE 72

New Max-Red Pear, 4-5 ft. \$275

All the fine qualities of the Bartlett strain, plus the added appeal of rich, red skin. Color does not carry through. Firm, fine-grained flesh has 10% more sugar by actual test. Excellent quality for preserving. Good variety for home orchard or back yard planting. Plant Patent No. 741. 4-5-ft. size. Trunk diam. 9/16 to 1 1/16 in. Postpaid.

91 GB 6200—1 to 3.....Each \$2.75
4 or more.....Each 2.60

Pear Orchard 3 Trees, 3-4 ft. \$465

Enjoy fresh pears summer through fall. Includes 1 Bartlett, 1 Kieffer and 1 Douglas. Postpaid.

91 GB 6270—3-4 ft.....3 for \$4.65
91 GB 6271—5-6 ft.....3 for 6.45

Buy fruit trees now. Add to your Easy Payment Account, or only 10% Down on order of \$20 or more. Details on Page 50.

PLUM TREES 3 to 4-ft. size, 1 to 3, Postpaid Each \$185

Wards Plum Trees are stocky, 2-year old field-grown; healthy, vigorous and disease-free. Sprayed and pruned frequently during their development to give you the finest stock possible. These varieties were selected because they have proven to be the most suitable and hardy. Hardy in zones 1 through 8. Plant in protected location in zone 8. See zone map on Page 6. They thrive best in a medium-heavy soil. For best pollination and fruit plums, require at least two varieties, 18 to 22 ft. apart. Plant in spring or fall. Shipped Postpaid.

91 GB 6511—**Bradshaw.** Freestone. Very large size, attractive dark violet color. Keeps well, a good shipper. Red, juicy flesh has a fine flavor. Extremely productive. Ripens early.

91 GB 6507—**Green Gage.** Semi-clingstone. Very popular, large, yellow-green fruit. One of the sweetest and one of the best late plums. For canning or eating fresh. A good commercial variety, but not suited to extremely cold sections.

91 GB 6510—**Burbank.** Small Clingstone. One of the hardiest Japanese plums. Bright, cherry red fruit is very large. Meaty, amber flesh has a rich, sugary taste. Bears heavy crops even when young. Ripen after Abundance. Good pollinator. Excellent for jams and for dessert use.

91 GB 6514—**Abundance.** Freestone. Oval fruit, cherry red. Light yellow flesh; firm, yet tender, juicy and very sweet. Grow rapidly, young bearing. Keeps well. Pollinator.

91 GB 6506—**Early Italian Prune.** Feltenberg Prune. Freestone. Finest blue plum—leading commercial variety. Medium-large fruit is dark purple with firm, juicy, yellow flesh. For drying and canning. Thrives under almost all conditions. Heavy bearing.

Prices of All Varieties of Plums Listed Above

State Cat. No., height and Quantity. Postpaid. State nearest Express station.

Height	Trunk Diameter	1 to 3	4 to 7	8 or more
3-4 feet	7/16-9/16 inch	\$1.85 Each	\$1.70 Each	\$1.55 Each
4-5 feet	9/16-1 1/16 inch	2.10 Each	1.95 Each	1.80 Each
5-6 feet	1 1/16 to 7/8 inch	2.45 Each	2.30 Each	2.15 Each

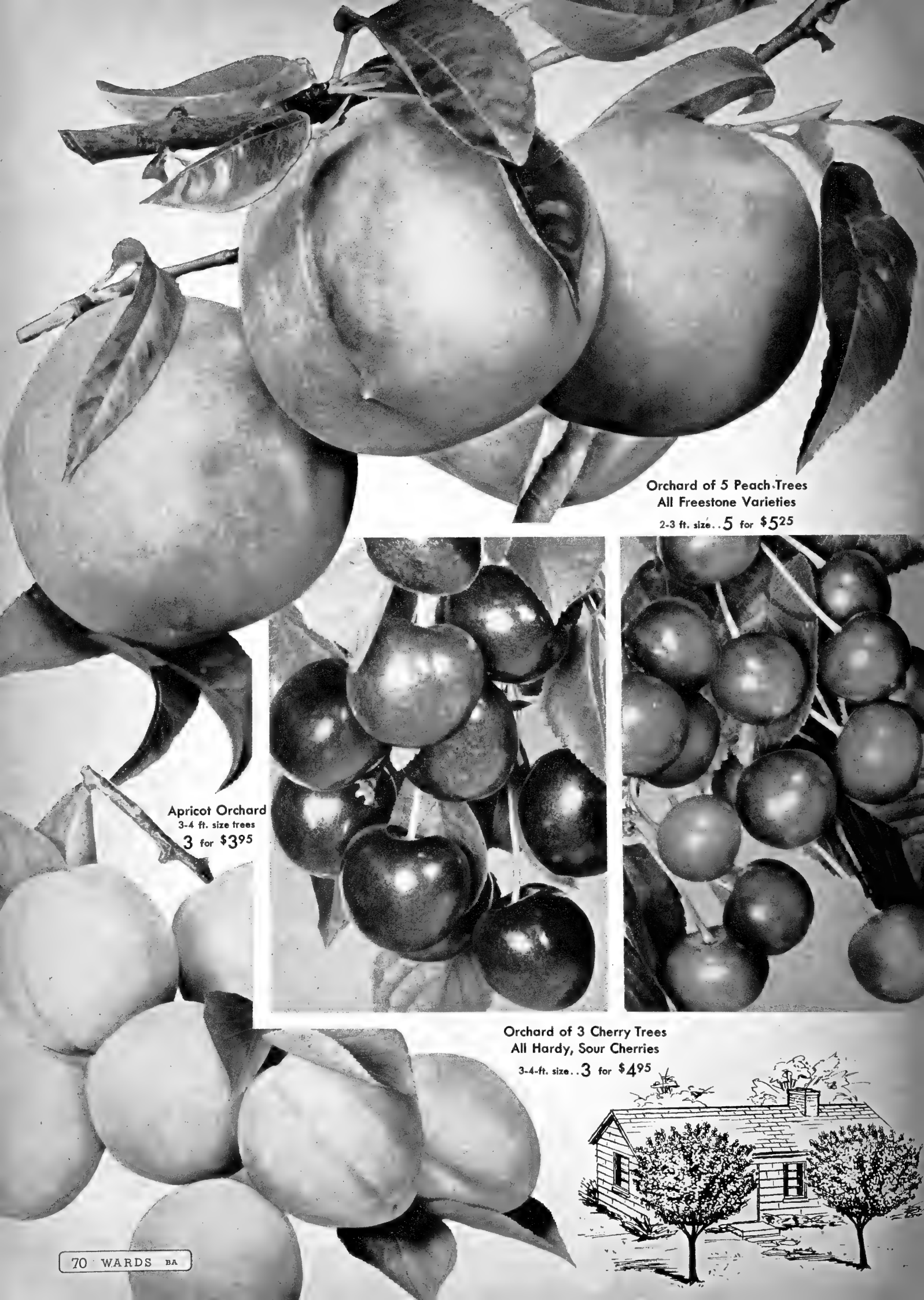
FOR QUICK CROP PLUM TREES SEE PAGE 72.

Plum Orchard. Includes 1 Burbank, 1 Abundance and 1 Bradshaw. Postpaid.

91 GB 6554—3-4 ft. size. 7/16-9/16-in. trunk diam.....All 3 for \$4.65
91 GB 6555—5-6 ft. size. 1 1/16-7/8-in. trunk diam.....All 3 for 6.45

USE THIS BOOK FOR YEAR-ROUND ORDERING

Almost all fruits, trees, shrubs and perennials may be planted in spring or fall. Take advantage of both seasons to complete your planting plans. In mild climates it is especially beneficial to plant in fall before the fall rains begin. A few plants are available in spring only, and descriptions will so indicate.



Orchard of 5 Peach Trees
All Freestone Varieties
2-3 ft. size... 5 for \$525

Apricot Orchard
3-4 ft. size trees
3 for \$395



Orchard of 3 Cherry Trees
All Hardy, Sour Cherries
3-4-ft. size... 3 for \$495



Get Accurate Size and Grade—Buy from Wards

PEACH TREES 2 TO 3-FT. SIZE—EACH \$1²⁵ POSTPAID

Wards Peach Trees are vigorous, dependable, selected strains. Often bear in three years. Produced from heavy bearing trees, carefully pruned and cultivated in the Nursery row to insure perfect development. May be grown in sheltered positions where winters are not too severe and springs are not so late that blossoms may be harmed by late frosts. Peaches are one of the most dependable of all fruit trees for home gardens. Some varieties considered excellent for freezing are noted below. May be planted spring or fall in zones 1 through 5, spring only for zones 6 and 7. Not suitable for zones 8 and 9. Not suited for upper Michigan except part in zone 6, or upper Wisconsin, even though they are included in zone 7 on our map. *Shipped Postpaid* at proper planting time in your locality.

91 GB 6403—**Elberta**. Midseason yellow freestone. Medium oval shaped fruits with rosy blush. Most popular of all peach varieties for home freezing or canning. Firm, fine grained flesh is juicy and full of flavor. Self pollinating.

91 GB 6402—**Early Elberta**. Yellow freestone. Ripens about a week before Elberta. Large size fruit is lemon yellow with a crimson blush. Firm, juicy, delicious yellow flesh keeps its color when canned. Excellent quality peach for local markets. One of the best for canning. Self pollinating.

91 GB 6406—**Hale Haven**. Early yellow freestone. Large round fruit is red and yellow before maturing—a real market advantage. Rich sweet flavor when tree-ripened. Good for freezing. Heavy producer, bears when young. Ripe 2 weeks before Elberta. Self pollinating. Hardy.

91 GB 6413—**Polly**. Midseason. Large, freestone fruit is creamy yellow and crimson. Flesh is white, firm, juicy and richly flavored. Stays firm when canned. Begins to bear young, and produces heavily. Withstands cold to 20° below zero. Ripens just before Elberta. Self pollinating.

91 GB 6407—**J. H. Hale**. Midseason yellow freestone. Larger fruit than Elberta. Solid golden yellow flesh, tender and free from grain. Small pit. Ripens just before Elberta. Plant with a good pollinator. Fine for freezing, canning and dessert.

91 GB 6405—**Golden Jubilee**. Yellow freestone. Matures 20 to 24 days before Elberta. Very hardy. Usually blooms after danger of frost. Medium to large size golden fruit; fine grained, delicious juicy flesh. Self fertile and a good pollinator for other varieties. Early shipper. Good for market.

PEACH ORCHARD 2-3-ft. Size. 5 TREES \$5²⁵

Includes 2 Elberta, 1 each of Hale Haven, Golden Jubilee and J. H. Hale. A wise selection for your home and market needs. Labeled. *Shipped Postpaid* from nursery at proper planting time.

91 GB 6470—2 to 3 ft. tall, 5/16 to 7/16-in. trunk diameter. *Postpaid*.....All 5 trees for \$5.25

91 GB 6472—4 to 5 ft. tall, 9/16 to 1 1/16-in. trunk diameter. *Postpaid*.....All 5 trees for \$7.50

Enjoy 5 Weeks of Fresh, Tree-Ripened Peaches

Plant Summerlong Peach
3-4 ft. Tree—\$2⁵⁰

- Juicy, high quality fruit
- Excellent dessert peach

Now you can enjoy the delicious flavor of sun-ripened peaches beginning in late summer and lasting for 5 weeks. Yellow freestone variety. Flesh does not bruise easily. Medium size fruit is sweet and juicy. Superb for pies, succulent desserts or for eating fresh. Good producer and vigorous grower. Trunk diameters are the same as those in table at left. *State size and Quantity wanted.*

91 GB 6420—*Shipped Postpaid.*

Size	Each	4 or more
3-4 ft.	\$2.50	\$2.35 Each
4-5 ft.	3.00	2.85 Each

Prices of Peach Trees by Variety

State Cat. No., Height, Shipped Postpaid.

Height Feet	Trunk Diameter	1 to 3 Each	4 to 7 Each	8 or more Each
2 to 3	5/16 to 7/16 In.	\$1.25	\$1.15	\$1.05
3 to 4	7/16 to 9/16 In.	1.50	1.40	1.30
4 to 5	9/16 to 1 1/16 In.	1.75	1.65	1.55

5 to 6 ft. Quick Crop Size Peach Trees on Page 72
Buy Dwarf Fruit Trees from Page 67.

CHERRY TREES 3-4-FT. SIZE—LOW AS \$1⁸⁵ EACH POSTPAID

The most delicious fruit is that which you pick from your own trees. Cherry trees are easy to grow and will provide sun-ripened fruit for eating, canning and pies. Wards varieties produce high quality fruit on vigorous, dependable trees. Budded on Mahaleb understock to assure extra hardiness and good root system. Thrive in almost any well drained soil. Pruned for sturdier growth. Add these to your garden. Wards ship healthy 2-year trees. *Shipped Postpaid* at planting time, spring or fall.

EASY-TO-PICK, HARDY SOUR CHERRIES

A low headed strain grows only 12 to 20 feet tall with usual pruning. Fruit is down low, easy to pick. Spraying easier. Fruit gets sun and air. Sour cherries are self pollinating. Hardy in zones 1 through 8. Plant 20-25 ft. apart.

91 GB 6308—**Early Richmond**. Usually the earliest sour cherry. Large size bright red fruits are tender and juicy. Excellent for pies. Bears fruit very young and bears heavily.

91 GB 6310—**Montmorency**. Best Sour cherry. Fruit is large, dark red, firm. Exceptional flavor. Excellent keeping qualities. For canning, pies and freezing. Very hardy. Bears large crops. Ripens 10 days after Early Richmond. Grown from certified virus free budwood.

HEAVY PRODUCING SWEET CHERRIES

Yield big crops in locations where peach trees do well. Plant 25 to 30 feet apart in well drained soil. At least two varieties are needed for proper pollination. Hardy in zones 1 to 7.

91 GB 6301—**Black Tartarian**. Purplish black. Fruit is firm, sweet and highly flavored. Good pollinator. One of the best for home and market. Grown from certified virus-free budwood.

91 GB 6304—**Yellow Glass**. Yellow, transparent skin. Very sweet. Hardy to -20°. Heavy bearer.

91 GB 6307—**Bing**. Very large, dark red heart shaped cherries with glossy skin. Firm, meaty, tasty. For shipping or freezing. Grown from certified virus free budwood.

Prices of Above Varieties of Cherries. State Cat. Number, height. *Shipped Postpaid.*

Trunk Diam. In.	SOUR CHERRIES				SWEET CHERRIES			
	Height	1 to 3	4 to 7	8 & up	Height	1 to 3	4 to 7	8 & up
7/16-9/16	3-4 ft.	\$1.85 Ea.	\$1.75 Ea.	\$1.65 Ea.	3 to 4 ft.	\$2.20 Ea.	\$2.10 Ea.	\$2.00 Ea.
9/16-1 1/16	4-4 1/2 ft.	2.20 Ea.	2.10 Ea.	2.00 Ea.	4 to 5 ft.	2.50 Ea.	2.40 Ea.	2.30 Ea.
1 1/16-7/8	4 1/2-5 ft.	2.55 Ea.	2.45 Ea.	2.35 Ea.	5 to 5 1/2 ft.	2.95 Ea.	2.75 Ea.	2.65 Ea.

Quick Crop Size Cherry Trees May Be Found on Page 72. Dwarf Cherry Trees on Page 67

METEOR CHERRY EACH \$3³⁵

Semi-dwarf Sour cherry. Smaller tree than those sold above, but larger than dwarf trees listed on Page 67. Introduced by University of Minnesota. Fine quality, extremely hardy. Freestone fruit is large to very large, attractive clear light red skin, thin, tender. Flavor is pleasant, slightly tart. Excellent variety for eating fresh, canning. One of the best for market. Hardy zones 1 through 8. *Ship. Ppd. at proper planting time in spring or fall.*

91 GB 6375—3-4 foot size,
1 to 3..Each \$3.35; 4 or more...Each \$3.15

SOUR CHERRY ORCHARD, 3 TREES, \$4⁹⁵

Includes 2 Montmorency and 1 Early Richmond. See descriptions above. These low headed strains bear large crops over long period each summer. Suitable for all home uses. Spraying is easier. Fruit gets sun and air necessary for good ripening. *Shipped postpaid* at proper planting time in spring or fall.

91 GB 6350—3 to 4-foot size, 7/16 to 9/16-inch trunk diameter.....All 3 for \$4.95

91 GB 6351—4 1/2 to 5-foot size, 1 1/16 to 7/8-inch trunk diameter.....All 3 for \$6.95

CULTIVATION OF YOUR CHERRY CROP

Although clean cultivation and cover cropping are both practiced in cherry orchards, sweet cherries often do well on a lawn. Sour cherries, being shallow-rooted, are more successful as a lawn tree if fed 2-3 lbs. of nitrate of soda in early spring. Such feeding develops the terminal growths of the trees and helps crops. Sour cherries can be left on trees for several weeks if a spraying or dusting program is carried out.

DELICIOUS FREESTONE APRICOTS

4 to 5-ft. Size trees \$2²⁵ Each

Wards apricot trees are well rooted, have been pruned and sprayed at the Nursery and come to you disease-free and insect free. Thrive and produce a crop wherever peach trees also grow. Most varieties are self fertile, but for best results plant both varieties listed for proper pollination.

Plant 16 to 20 ft. apart in well-drained, sunny location. Not suited for zones 8 and 9. Not suited for upper Michigan (except part in zone 6) or upper Wisconsin, even though they are included in zone 7 on our zone map. Plant in spring only in zones 6 and 7. Plant spring or fall in zones 1 through 5.

91 GB 6480—**Moorpark**. Freestone. One of the best apricots—well known for delicious flavor. Standard by which other apricots are judged. Extra large fruit, fine grained, juicy. Ripens midsummer.

91 GB 6482—**Scout**. Freestone. A Canadian variety of extreme and unusual hardiness. Golden-yellow fruit is very large with attractive reddish blush. Tender flesh, delightful flavor. Ripens Midsummer.

Prices of Above Apricot Trees

State Cat. No., Height, Shipped Postpaid.

Height Feet	Trunk Diameter	1 to 3 Each	4 or more Each
4 to 5	9/16 to 1 1/16 In.	\$2.25	\$2.15

Apricot Orchard. Includes 2 Moorpark and 1 Scout. Varieties are Labeled. *Shipped Postpaid.*

91 GB 6485—3 to 4 ft. tall.....All 3 trees for \$3.95

91 GB 6484—4 to 5 ft. tall.....All 3 trees for 6.15

**SATISFACTION
GUARANTEED**

BA WARDS 71

Hardy 5-In-1 Apple Tree

\$335 4-5 FT.

- Five Varieties on One Tree
- Ripen over a long season
- Fruits to Can, Eat Fresh or keep for Winter enjoyment

Like having a complete apple orchard in your own back yard—yet all you need is space for one tree. You get five of our most popular, best yielding varieties, including both red and yellow apples on one tree.

Self-pollinating trees. May be planted spring or fall. Hardy 3-yr. trees. These apple varieties have been carefully selected. 4-5-ft. size, trunk diameter $\frac{9}{16}$ in. or larger. Shipped Prepaid Express, State name of nearest Express Station.

91 GB 6126.....Each \$3.35

3-In-1 Pear Tree

- Includes Bartlett, Douglas and Parker varieties.
- All ripen at different times.

You get three of our finest, carefully selected, varieties on one tree. Ideal where space is limited. Provides pears for eating fresh, canning, pickling and all home uses. Hardy, self-pollinating. Requires little care. 4-5 ft. size, trunk diam. $\frac{9}{16}$ inches. Shipped Prepaid Express. State name of nearest Express Station.

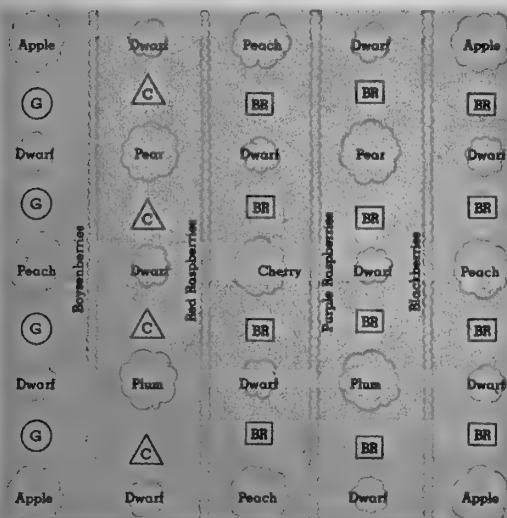
91 GB 6214.....Each \$4.50

Popular Orchard Plan

Plan shown below provides plenty of fresh fruit for the average family from an area 48 by 48 ft. (Wards planting guide included with your nursery stock order, shows other plans.) The site selected must be sunny, airy, well-drained and have fertile soil.

Most fruit trees need to be pollinated for best fruiting. Use one good pollinator for every 6 to 8 trees. In small plantings a neighbor's tree may serve the purpose, but it should not be more than 100 feet away.

Plan below provides 4 apple trees, 4 peach trees, 2 pear trees, 2 plum trees and 1 sour cherry tree. Berry bushes may be used between rows. G is Gooseberry; C is Currants; BR is Black Raspberry. These bushes are sold on Pages 63 and 65 of this book. Dwarf Fruit Trees may be found on Page 67.



Pick Flavorful Fruit Sooner

PLANT QUICK CROP FRUIT TREES FOR ORNAMENTAL VALUE
BEST SIZE FRUIT TREE FOR SMALL ORCHARD OR BACK YARD PLANTING

Extra Large Trees. Quick Crop Fruit Trees are the "cream of the crop" in the nursery row. Trees are bigger, more husky and usually better branched than same varieties in regular sizes listed on other pages. They often bear sooner than smaller sizes. Most popular size with gardeners who plant just a few fruit trees and want fruit as soon as it is possible to get it.

All are 5 ft. or More in Ht. Quick Crop Apples, Cherries, Pears and Plums all have a $\frac{7}{8}$ to 1-in. trunk caliper. Peach trees are by nature, smaller at maturity; have a trunk caliper of $\frac{11}{16}$ in. or more. For proper pollination, plant at least two varieties of all except Sour Cherry, which is self-pollinating—one tree will bear. Use Orchard Plan below, at left or a section of it.

"Worth the Extra Cost". That's the way Wards customers feel about Quick Crop. Gardeners like the idea of picking fruit sooner. Since many Quick Crop Fruit Trees are planted for ornamental as well as fruitful value they are popular because they give a more effective display of bloom and size sooner. Further descriptions of fruit tree varieties below may be found on Pages 69 and 71.

All Quick Crop Trees Shipped Prepaid at Proper Spring and Fall Planting Time. State Nearest Express Station.

Quick Crop Apple Trees—Lots of 4 or More, Each \$255

91 GB 6160—**Double Red Delicious.** Bears sooner than the regular Red Delicious. Often produces fruit 2 to 3 years after planting. Extra large, 5-knob apples. Fine-grained, juicy flesh. Considered the King of all red apples. Brings high market prices. Always a popular apple. Ripens in late or mid-fall. Grows almost everywhere.

91 GB 6164—**Yellow Transparent.** Large, waxy yellow fruit. Flesh is crisp, white, sweet and juicy. Begins to bear at an early age. Good pollinator for other varieties. Bears big crops even after severe winters. Grows almost everywhere. Ripens early to midsummer.

91 GB 6165—**McIntosh, Solid Red.** Beautiful red apple with contrasting snow-white flesh. Retains brilliant crimson color after picking. Flesh is tender and juicy. Extra hardy, long lived, productive. Ripens in late summer.

91 GB 6166—**Winesap, Stayman.** Vigorous tree, bears early. Large, attractive red fruit striped greenish yellow. Tender, fine-grained, juicy fruit with spicy flavor. Keeps well. Ripens late fall.

91 GB 6169—**Yellow Delicious.** Glossy, golden yellow. Crisp, firm, creamy yellow flesh. Tangy flavor. For cooking or eating fresh. Good winter keeper. Productive. Good pollinator.

Quick Crop Pears—4 or More, Ea. \$280

Easy to grow. Require minimum care in garden.

91 GB 6260—**Bartlett.** Best early pear. Enormous crops of large, yellow, beautifully formed fruit. A national favorite. Fine-grained; excellent flavor. A good pollinator for other pears.

91 GB 6261—**Kieffer.** Crisp, juicy flesh. Delicious flavor. Large yellow fruit with vermilion blush. Hardy tree is blight-resistant. A good pollinator for other varieties. Ripens after Bartlett.

91 GB 6262—**Clapp favorite.** Largest lemon yellow fruit with red blush. Rich, juicy, delicate flavor. Ripens about 14 days before Bartlett. Hardy, blight-resistant trees. Plant with a good pollinator.

Quick Crop Plums—4 or More, Ea. \$280

Plant 2 varieties for proper pollination.

91 GB 6566—**Superior.** Rich dark red fruit. Sweet, juicy, light yellow flesh. Clingstone. Very hard. Bears heavily and begins bearing quickly.

91 GB 6568—**Italian Prune.** Also called Fellenberg Prune. Leading commercial prune for canning or drying. Oval, purple fruit with yellow sweet flesh. Freestone. Heavy bearing.

91 GB 6563—**Abundance.** Freestone. Amber blending into dark red. Sweet flesh. Good pollinator

91 GB 6564—**Burbank.** Very hardy European type. Large red fruit. Rich, juicy. Good pollinator.

Quick Crop Peaches—4 or More, Ea. \$220

Be sure to see Page 71 for hardiness information.

91 GB 6460—**Elberta.** Midseason. Yellow freestone. Oval fruit with rosy blush. Most popular of all peaches for all home uses. Self-pollinating.

91 GB 6461—**J. H. Hale.** Midseason yellow freestone. Larger fruit than Elberta. Solid golden yellow flesh, tender, free from grain. Plant with a good pollinator. Fine for canning, freezing.

91 GB 6464—**Golden Jubilee.** Yellow freestone. Matures early. Flesh is juicy, delicious. Very hardy. Blooms after danger of frost. Self-fertile. Good pollinator. Good for market, home use.

Quick Crop Cherries—Low As \$335 Ea.

91 GB 6361—**Montmorency.** Sour Cherry. An old favorite in home gardens. Deep red, firm, fine flavored. Keeps well. Excellent for canning, freezing or pies. Makes a low headed tree. Easy to pick. Self-pollinating. Hardy zones 1 through 8.

91 GB 6362—**Bing.** Sweet. Very large. Dark red, heart-shaped fruit with glossy skin. Firm, meaty, tasty flesh. Ideal for eating fresh or freezing. Ripens in June. Hardy in zones 1 through 7.

91 GB 6365—**Black Tartarian.** Sweet. Purplish-black. Firm, sweet and highly flavored. Good pollinator for other sweet cherries. One of the best for home and market. Hardy zones 1 through 7.

PRICES OF QUICK CROP FRUIT TREES ABOVE

State Catalog Number, Height. Give nearest Express Station. Shipped Prepaid.

Variety	Height	Trunk Diameter	1 to 3	In Lots of 4 or more
Apple Trees, Quick Crop...	5 to 7 Feet	$\frac{7}{8}$ to 1 Inch	\$2.65 Each	\$2.55 Each
Pear Trees, Quick Crop...	5 to 7 Feet	$\frac{7}{8}$ to 1 Inch	2.95 Each	2.80 Each
Plum Trees, Quick Crop...	5 to 7 Feet	$\frac{7}{8}$ to 1 Inch	2.95 Each	2.80 Each
Peach Trees, Quick Crop...	5 to 6 Feet	$\frac{11}{16}$ Inch and up	2.35 Each	2.20 Each
Cherry Trees, Sour.....	5 to 5½ Feet	$\frac{7}{8}$ to 1 Inch	3.35 Each	3.20 Each
Cherry Trees, Sweet.....	5 to 6 Feet	$\frac{7}{8}$ to 1 Inch	3.50 Each	3.35 Each

Additional Quick Crop Varieties—All Dependable

Asparagus, Quick Crop. 3-year size... See Page 56

Blackberries, Quick Crop. Eldorado variety. Pg. 65

Currants, Quick Crop. Red Lake variety. Page 65

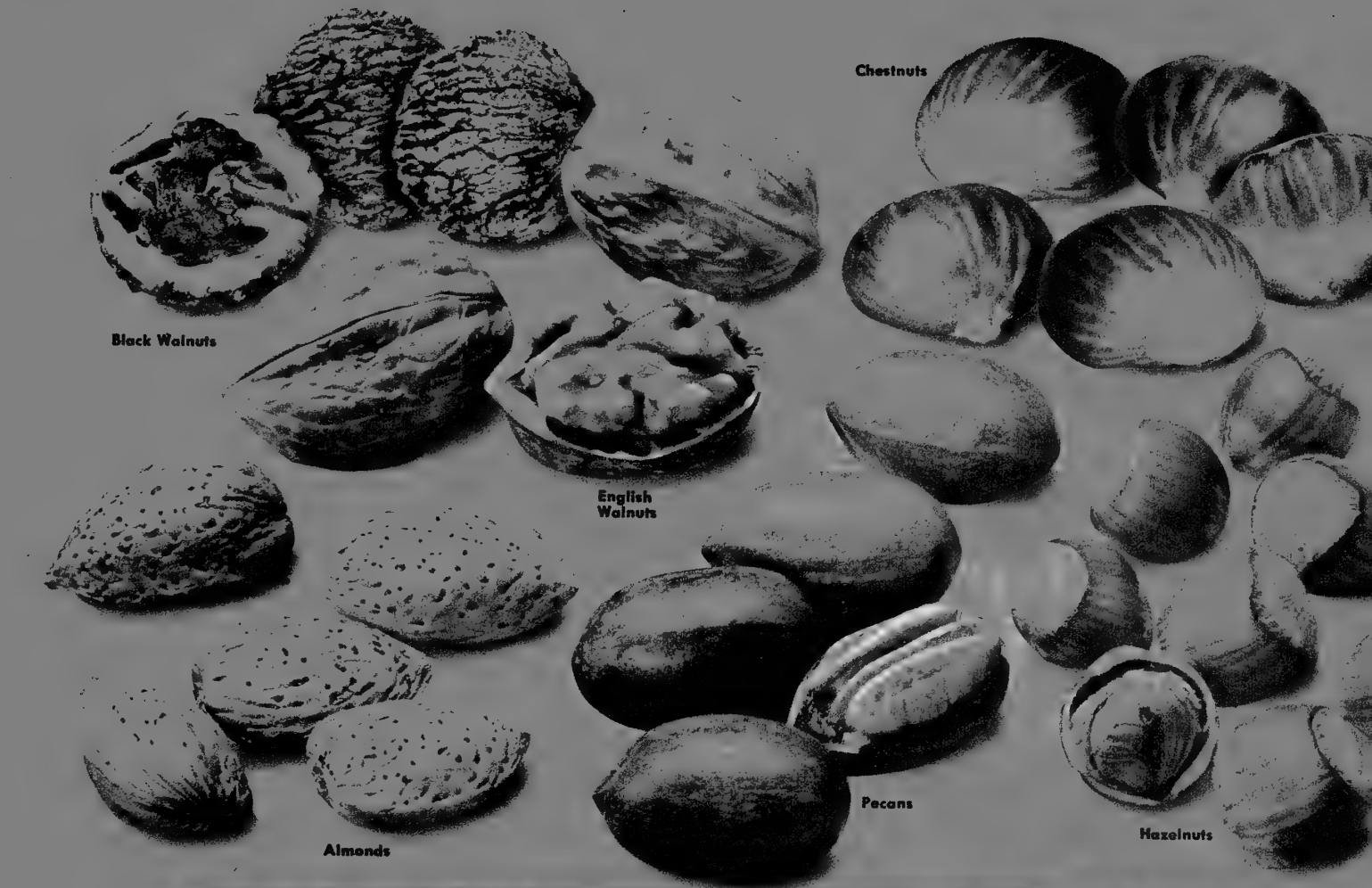
Gooseberries, Quick Crop. Downing variety. Pg. 65

Grapes, Quick Crop. Choice of three varieties. All strong 3-year plants... See Page 65

Raspberries, Quick Crop. Choice of two varieties. Heavy canes, strong roots... See Page 63

Rhubarb, Quick Crop. Two varieties. See Page 56

All Wards fruit trees are guaranteed to reach you in proper condition for planting. All are healthy, free from disease and insects. See Wards Nursery Stock Guarantee on Page 4.



Select Nut Trees for Your Climate

New Hardy English Walnut—Each \$345

(*Juglans regia*). Hardy strain from the Carpathian Mts. where the trees grow and bear in sub-zero temperatures. Now you can grow English Walnuts as far north as zone 7. Flavorful, crisp nutmeats with thin shells like regular English Walnuts. Easy-to-crack, with tasty meats, a little smaller than grafted English Walnut but equal in quality. Plant two for proper pollination. Wards ship healthy seedling trees. Larger trees of this variety do not transplant readily. Plant 40 ft. apart in Spring or fall.

91 GB 6882—18-24-in. size. Postpaid. . . . Each \$3.60
4 or more. Each 3.45

English Walnut Trees—3-4-ft. size Each \$449

(*Juglans regia*). All grafted on California Black Walnut root stock for vigorous growth and longevity. Tall growing, bear heavy crops of large, tasty nuts. Deep rooting trees—need deep, fertile, well drained soil. Plant 40 ft. apart in spring or fall. Hardy in zones 1 through 4. Self Pollinating. Shipped Postpaid.

91 GB 6885—Eureka. Large oblong nut with thick, well sealed shells. Popular commercial variety.

91 GB 6881—Franquette. Heavy yields of handsome, conical fruit. Unusually light colored kernels—thin shells. Seldom affected by frost.

Prices of English Walnut Trees Above

Postpaid. State Catalog Number and Height.

Height	1 to 3	4 or more
3-4 ft.	\$4.49 Each	\$4.39 Each
4-5 ft.	5.29 Each	5.19 Each

Self-pollinating. Trees so indicated do not require the planting of a second variety to bear nuts.

NOTICE: Wards cannot guarantee that all nut trees will bear nuts in the zones in which they are hardy. There are some areas within hardiness zones in which they may not bear for other reasons. If in doubt in your area check your county agent before ordering nut trees.

Hardy Pecan Trees 18-24-in. size Each \$245

(*Carya illinoensis*). Pecan seedlings, hardy where winters are not too severe. Grown from selected seed. Plant for shade and decoration, as well as for the nuts they may produce. Plant 50 to 60 feet apart in spring or fall. For zones 1 through 7. Plant 3 for proper pollination.

91 GB 6891—Shipped Postpaid.

2-3-ft. size—1-3, Ea. \$2.45; 4 or more, Ea. \$2.35
3-4-ft. size—1-3, Ea. 2.95; 4 or more, Ea. 2.85

Pecan Trees for Zones 1 Through 4 Only

(*Carya illinoensis*). Sturdy grafted trees are well rooted, will thrive and produce big crops. Long lived. Popular as shade trees as well as for crops. If cared for, will bear in about five years. Do not cultivate more than 6 in. deep. Plant 50 to 60 feet apart, spring or fall, in zones 1 through 4 only. Self Pollinating.

91 GB 6888—Success. Widely grown. Large, oblong, tapering to the apex. Medium thin, easily parted shell, with plump, fine quality, sweet kernel. Trees bear heavily. Self-pollinating.

91 GB 6895—Burkett. Large, almost round, thin-shelled nuts. The whole meat comes out readily. Fine flavor. Produces heavily in Southwest.

91 GB 6894—Stuart. Most popular pecan. More extensively planted than any other. Early and heavy bearers of large, well-filled nuts. Kernels are plump and meaty, with excellent flavor.

Prices of Above Pecan Trees

Postpaid. State Catalog Number and Height.

HEIGHT	1 to 3	4 or more
2-3 ft.	\$3.79 Each	\$3.69 Each
3-4 ft.	4.49 Each	4.39 Each

Thomas Black Walnut Each \$295

Beautiful, disease-resistant trees. Produce large crops of tender nuts. Hardy in zones 1-7; but does best in zones 4 through 7. Plant 40 ft. apart. Self-pollinating. Shipped Postpaid in spring only.

91 GB 6886—State size.

2-3-ft. size—1-3, Ea. \$2.95; 4 or more, Ea. \$2.75
3-4-ft. size—1-3, Ea. 3.95; 4 or more, Ea. 3.75

Almond Trees 3-4 ft. Each \$195

(*Prunus amygdalus*). Like hot dry climate. Plant 2 varieties 24 to 30 feet apart to produce nuts. Hardy in zones 1 through 3. Plant spring or fall.

91 GB 6893—Nonpareil. One of the hardest. Large full kernel, paper-thin shell. Prolific, regular bearer. Fine, profitable commercial variety.

91 GB 6892—No Plus Ultra. Long, large nut. Soft shell, big kernel. Popular commercial variety. Large size shade tree. A good pollinator.

Prices of Above Almond Trees—Grafted

Postpaid. State Catalog Number and Height.

HEIGHT	1 to 3	4 or more
3-4 ft.	\$1.95 Each	\$1.85 Each
4-5 ft.	2.75 Each	2.65 Each

Chestnut Trees—2-3-ft. size Each \$200

Chinese Chestnut. (*Castanea mollissima*). Chinese variety introduced in the U.S. for its wonderful resistance to the blight. Sweet, delicious nuts shell out easily. Attractive blossoms make this a very popular tree for landscaping. Plant in spring only in well drained soil in sun. Prefers acid soil. Hardy zones 1 through 7. Plant 2 for pollination.

91 GB 6899—3-yr. trees. Postpaid. State size.

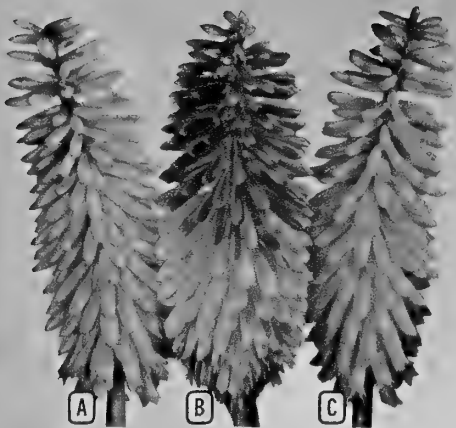
2-3-ft. size—1-3, Ea. \$2.00; 4 or more, Ea. \$1.85
3-4-ft. size—1-3, Ea. 2.45; 4 or more, Ea. 2.35

Miscellaneous Nuts

Butternut. (*Juglans cinerea*). (Not pictured). Bittery flavor. Usually picked while green. Tall broadheaded trees. Thrive best in well drained soil. Plant in spring only. Self-pollinating. Hardy in zones 1-8. Seedling trees. 2-3-ft. size. Postpaid. 91 GB 6880—1 to 3, Ea. 85¢; 4 or more, Ea. 80¢
Hazelnut. (*Corylus americana*). Can be grown in a limited space. Thick bush grows to medium height. Nuts have excellent flavor wonderful for use in cookies and cakes. Plant in spring or fall. Self-pollinating. Hardy in zones 1 through 7. 2 to 3-ft. size.

91 GB 6890—Postpaid. 1 to 3. Each 1.50

4 or more. Each 1.40



Torch Lilies—Garden of 3 for \$175

Tritoma. (*Kniphofia uvaria*.) Blooms in early summer. Tall growing. These early flowering hybrid Torch Lilies produce as many as 10 spikes from one plant. Plant 12 in. apart in well drained, sunny spot, in spring or fall. Require winter protection in Zones 8-9. (See Zone Map, Pg. 6). Adds a formal note to floral arrangements.

91 GB 2574—**Torch Lily Garden.** Includes 1 each, A, B, and C below. *Postpaid*.....\$1.75

A 91 GB 2572—**Golden Scepter.** Brilliant deep yellow. Very hardy. *Postpaid*.....Ea. 75c

B 91 GB 2571—**Springtime.** Coral red and ivory yellow. Pat. 318. *Postpaid*.....Ea. 75c

C 91 GB 2569—**Red Hot Poker.** Orange-scarlet blooms. *Postpaid*.....Ea. 65c; 3 for \$1.65

All Wards Nursery Stock is Guaranteed true-to-name, disease and insect free, and to reach you in proper condition for planting. See Nursery Stock Guarantee on Page 4.

Pacific Hybrid Delphiniums

Collection of 5 Varieties for \$295

(*D. elatum* Hybrids.) Giant delphiniums 6 ft. tall; about 30 inches of the spike covered with double florets. Spikes are 4 to 5 inches in diameter. Among the most dramatic and delightful of summer flowers. Sturdy stems support them erectly. Set plants 2 to 3 ft. apart in groups of 3, 5 or more.

A **Pacific Hybrid Garden.** Includes 1 each of all 5 below. 91 GB 2588—*Shipped Postpaid* in Spring or Fall. 5 for \$2.95

N 91 GB 2594—**Blue Jay.** Dense spikes of true clear blue; darker bee. Individual flowers up to 3 in. in diameter.

P 91 GB 2591—**Black Knight.** Extra-long spikes of beautiful round form in darkest violet, black bee. Velvety texture.

R 91 GB 2590—**Galahad.** Tall spires of glistening white; white bee. Giant size blooms grow in heavy branching clusters.

T 91 GB 2593—**Summer Skies.** Considered the finest blue Delphinium. Large handsome flowers of sky blue, white bee.

U 91 GB 2592—**Guinevere.** Beautiful double flowers of soft pink lavender; white bee. Florets up to 3 in. in diam.

Prices of Above Delphiniums

Shipped Postpaid, State Catalog Number.....2 for \$1.35

Bouquet Delphiniums. Bloom in early summer and fall. Not as tall as Pacific and English Hybrids, but produce a great abundance of spikes that are ideal for cutting. Plant 12-18 in. apart. Garden includes one each of *Belladonna Clivedon Beauty* (turquoise blue with creamy bee); *Ballamosum LaMartine* (deep blue with white bee); *Lyondel Hybrid* in a surprise color. 91 GB 2515—*Postpaid*.....Garden of all 3 for \$1.25

Five English Hybrids. Blackmore and Langdon Strains—among the finest developments in Delphinium family. Solid, erect spikes on tall stems. Shades of blue, lavender and purple-pink. 91 GB 2587—*Postpaid*....Garden of 5 Mixed Colors for \$1.95

HOW TO SUCCEED WITH DELPHINIUMS

Thrive best in rich, light, cool, well drained soil with plenty of fertilizer. Plant in full sun. Delphiniums like lime and plenty of water; foliage should, however, be kept as dry as possible. Fertilize in spring and again in late summer; and spray occasionally with Acme All 'Round Spray. (See Page 53.) Cut to 6 in. after blooming, to encourage fall bloom. Hardy in all zones. Will bloom the first year if planted early. Plant in spring or fall. In Zones 1, 2 and 3 fall planting is recommended.

Star Performers for Summer Show

Plant Phlox in Masses for Best Effect—Collection of 9 pictured \$450

(*Phlox paniculata*.) Imagine all nine glorious blooms at left making your garden gay with color all summer long. Few plants provide such a parade of colors with so little effort. These plants have been field grown for one year and will bloom the first season and year after year. Be sure to remove flowerheads before they fade or they will seed themselves and come back in inferior colors. Plant 15 inches apart in full sun, in any ordinary well drained soil, in spring or fall. Medium tall growing. Hardy in all zones, but are most beautiful north of zone 2. (Zone Map on Page 6.) Combine well with Daylilies.

A 91 GB 2031—**Phlox Fancier's Collection.** 1 each of 9 Phlox (D) to (M). Labeled. *Postpaid*. All 9 for \$4.50

Silver Dollar Phlox—Each 60c

Immense florets—the size of a silver dollar—on flower heads 5-7 inches across. Strong bushy, vigorous growing plants, about 2 feet wide at maturity. Plant these 5 for a wealth of bloom.

B 91 GB 2018—**Silver Dollar Phlox Garden.** 1 each of 5 below. *Postpaid*. All 5 for \$2.60

D 91 GB 2001—**Chieftain.** Deep crimson which holds its intense color well. Closely packed blooms. Strong growing. Free blooming. Early.

E 91 GB 2004—**Daily Sketch.** Unusually large flowers. Clear, unfading pink with crimson eye. Continues to bloom until frost.

F 91 GB 2003—**Prime Minister.** Extra large florets of snow white with cerise-violet eye. Tall grower that blooms in abundance.

G 91 GB 2021—**Starlight.** Rich violet with an almost perfectly shaped white star in the center. Strong growing and free blooming.

H 91 GB 2005—**Leo Schlageter.** Considered to be the best and brightest of all red phlox. Tall, strong, vigorous grower. Early blooming.

Prices of Above 5 Silver Dollar Phlox

Postpaid, State Cat. No....Each 60c; 3 for \$1.65

Picture Garden Phlox—Each 60c

Large flowerheads in clear, vivid jewel tones and dainty pastels. Includes varieties more recently introduced. Strong, vigorous growers.

B 91 GB 2045—**Picture Garden Phlox.** Includes 1 each of 4 varieties below. *Postpaid*...\$2.25

J 91 GB 2025—**Purplekrome.** Newest, deepest purple with rare sheen that sparkles.

K 91 GB 2027—**World Peace.** Glistening white florets with crisp, firm texture. Heavy substantial stalks and heads. Free blooming. Early.

L 91 GB 2026—**Elizabeth Arden.** Luscious soft pink heads of bloom on low, compact plants.

M 91 GB 2023—**San Antonio.** Large flowerheads of brilliant non-fading ruby-red against rich contrasting foliage. Does not discolor in hot sun.

Prices of Above 4 Picture Garden Phlox

Postpaid, State Cat. No....Each 60c; 3 for \$1.65

Bargain Phlox Garden—4 Phlox for \$175

Includes four good standard varieties of Phlox in a complete range of color. No other plant gives such a mass of gay summer bloom with so little trouble. Hardy in all zones. Not labeled.

91 GB 2030—**Garden of 4 Phlox.** *Postpaid*...\$1.75

Summer Flowers

Verbascum—Low as 70c Ea.

Commonly called Mullein. These English Hybrids bloom all summer and fall providing a tall accent in perennial or shrub border. Handsome, gray velvety foliage. Creates a striking effect as a background flower. Grow 3 to 4 ft. tall. Plant 8 inches apart in full sun, in spring or fall. Do best in well drained soil. Hardy all zones.

V **Pink Domino.** Medium stalks have soft rose-pink blooms with buff undertones. Downy foliage. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 2300—Each 70c 3 for.....\$1.95

W **Cotswold Gem.** Tall spikes with amber-colored flowers set off by dark centers. Resists heat. *Postpaid*. 91 GB 2311—Each 85c 3 for....\$2.40

Lythrum—2 for \$135

(*Lythrum salicaria*.) Plant 2 ft. apart in full sun or part shade in spring or fall. Ideal for the low, damp, partially shaded spot in your border. Excellent for mass planting. Fine for cutting. Hardy zones 1 through 8. Blooms summer and fall. Grows 4 to 6 ft. tall.

X 91 GB 2333—**Robert.** Clear fuchsia-pink with reddish glow. Medium low.

Y 91 GB 2330—**Mordens Gleam.** Nearest red of all Lythrams. Tall growing.

Prices of Lythrum. *Postpaid*. 2 for \$1.35

Balloon Flower—Blue, 2 for 75c

(*Platycodon*.) Beautiful combined with Phlox and Daylilies. Buds resemble miniature balloons, open to bell-shaped flowers. Plant 12 in. apart in sun or shade. Hardy all zones; protect in 8 and 9.

Z 91 GB 2304—**Blue.** *Postpaid*. 2 for 75c

AA 91 GB 2310—**Pink.** *Postpaid*. 2 for 80c

Hardy Daylilies

Garden of 3 for \$240

(*Hemerocallis*.) One of the finest summer flowers, and one of the easiest-to-grow of all perennials. New big blooms appear daily. Thrive whether you plant them in a sunbaked area or moist shady spot. Never need spraying. Firm stems require no staking. Bloom over a long period in summer. Varieties below grow about 3½ feet tall except Rose Gem which grows 3 ft. tall. Plant 12 inches apart. Hardy in all zones.

S **Daylily Garden.** Includes 1 each of (CC), (DD) and (EE) listed below. 91GB2295—*Shipped Postpaid*. All 3 for \$2.40

BB **Painted Lady.** Gigantic 8 to 9 inch flowers. Brilliant apricot-yellow with light dusting of cinnamon-red. Darker veins in petals and speals and still a darker eye zone. Deep ruffles on the petals. A most profuse bloomer. Topped Daylily polls for 3 years. *Postpaid*.

91 GB 2290—Each \$1.50.....3 for \$3.75

CC **Hyperion.** Still the favorite with many gardeners. Large waxy blooms of soft canary yellow. Blooms in midseason.

91 GB 2296—*Postpaid*. Ea. 75c; 3 for \$1.95

DD **Garnet Robe.** Glowing deep velvety red petals. Yellow-green throat. Luminous quality makes it stand out in yard.

91GB2294—*Postpaid*....Ea. 95c; 3 for \$2.50

EE **Rose Gem.** Broad petals of deep rose-pink. Large, open faced flowers. Heavy bloomer. Winner of many awards.

91GB2292—*Postpaid*....Ea. 95c; 3 for \$2.50

Hybrid Daylilies 3 for \$125

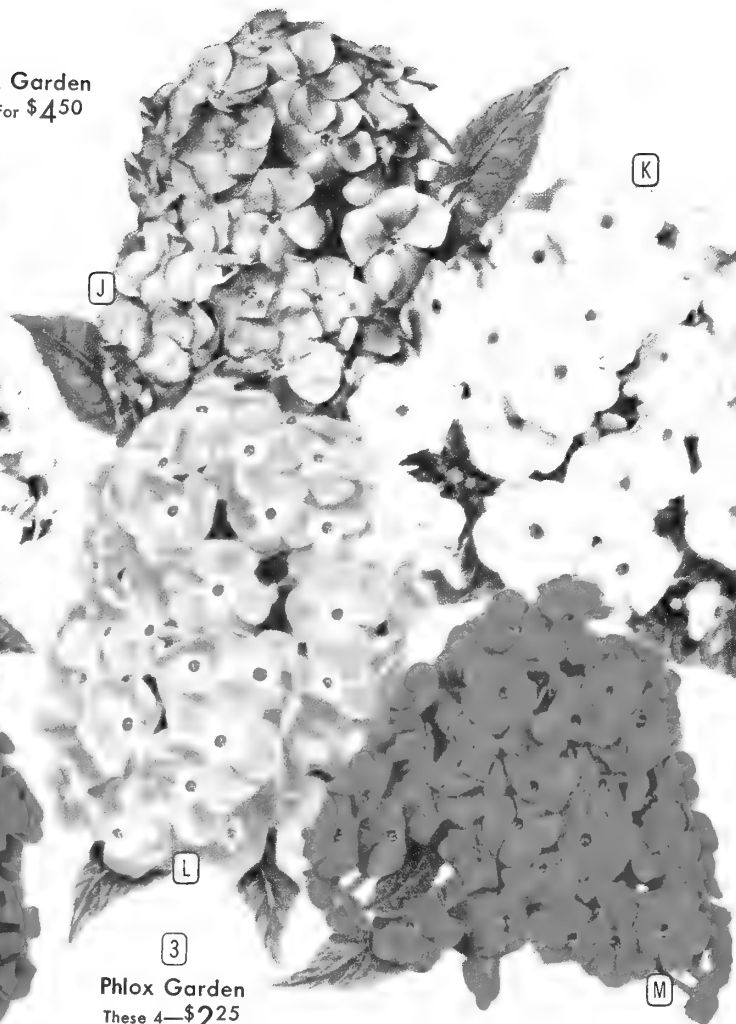
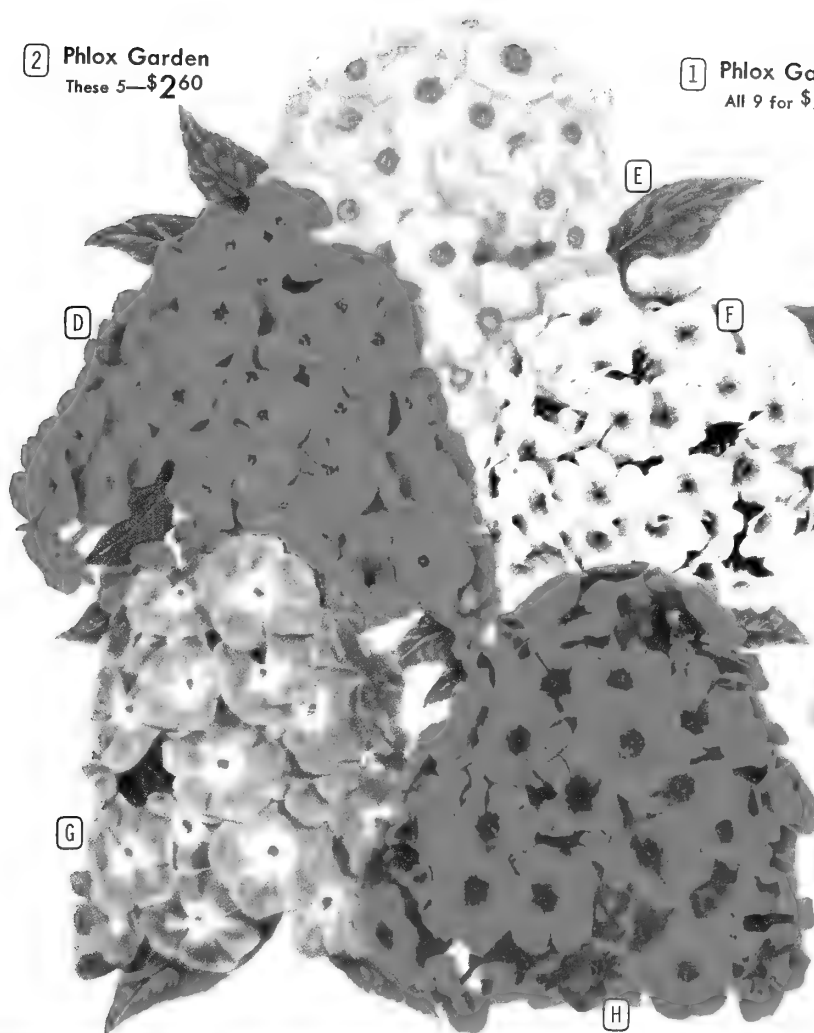
Leonian Hybrids in mixed colors of orange, mahogany, old rose, or maroon. Not labeled for variety, but includes true beauties. No yellow varieties included.

91GB2354—*Postpaid*. 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.35

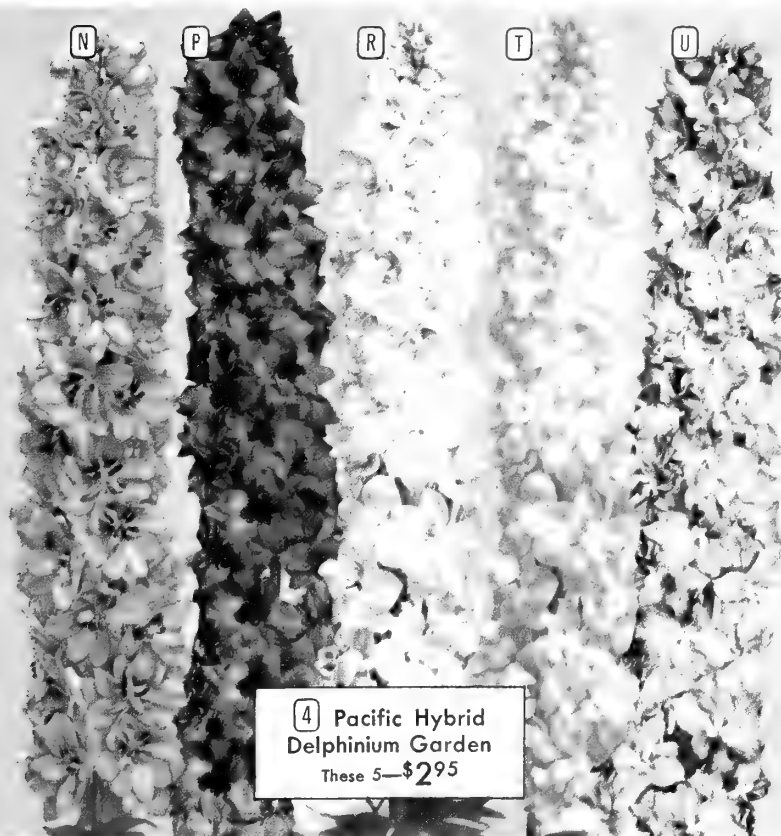
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2 Phlox Garden
These 5—\$260

1 Phlox Garden
All 9 for \$450



3 Phlox Garden
These 4—\$225



4 Pacific Hybrid
Delphinium Garden
These 5—\$295



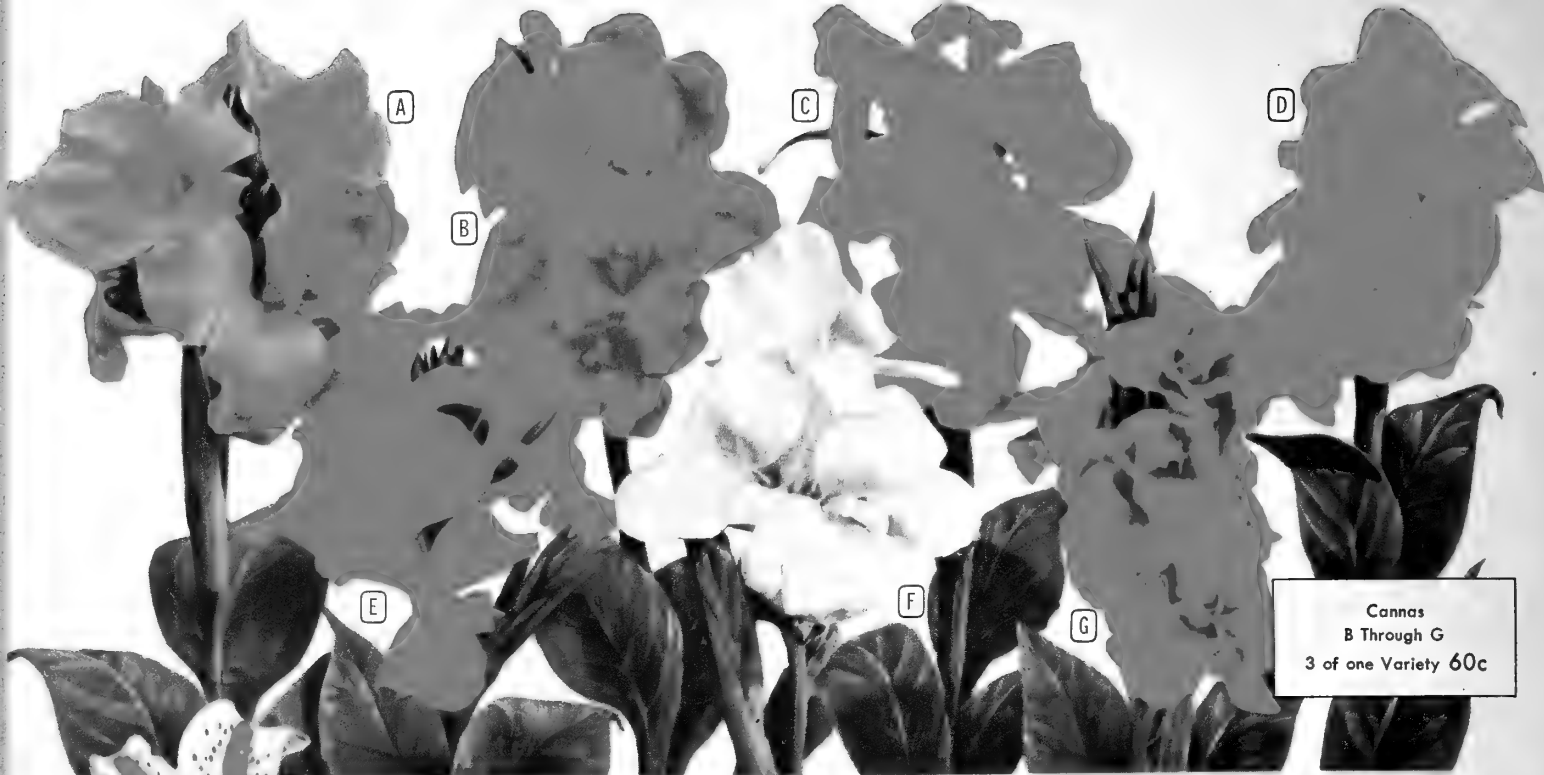
Verbascum

Lythrum

Balloon Flower

5 Daylilies
Garden of 3—\$240





Cannas Give Beauty at Low Cost

PROVIDE A BIG SPLASH OF COLOR—NEED LITTLE CARE

Cannas bloom over a longer period and make a finer display than almost any other large flowering plant. Invaluable for formal beds or for planting in flower or shrub borders. Easy to grow. Require minimum care. Plant in spring only, 18 in. apart, 2 in. deep, in rich soil, and in full sun.

Water well throughout season. Leave in ground until touched by frost, then dig up roots and store until spring. Cannas thrive in all zones. All Wards Canna Bulbs are large, blooming size and will produce vigorous plants with large flowers, broad foliage. See Wards Nursery Stock Guarantee, Page 4.

New Opera Series Canna \$110

[A] La Traviata. One of the newest Cannas. Chosen from new "Opera Series". Clear, sparkling old rose. Color is softer than cannas at left; flower heads are larger. Each floret is perfectly placed. Medium height. *Postpaid.*

91 GB 3530—Each \$1.10... 3 for \$2.95

Planned Canna Beds

5-Foot Diam. Canna Bed. Includes 6 *Hungaria* for center; 8 *Rosamond Cole* for outer edge. Labeled.

91 GB 3515—*Postpaid*... All 14 for \$2.25

7-Foot Diam. Canna Bed. Includes 1 *Statue of Liberty* for center; 5 *President* for next row, and 10 *Richard Wallace* for outer edge. Labeled for variety.

91 GB 3514—*Postpaid*... All 16 for \$2.60

Red Canna Bed. 12 *President* Cannas.

91 GB 3526—*Postpaid*... All 12 for \$1.95

Novelty Canna Bed. 2 each *Rosamond Cole*, *Eureka*, *Statue of Liberty*, *Hungaria*. Adds summer color to shrub border. 91 GB 3506—*Postpaid*... All 8 for \$1.45

Auratum and Estate Lilies

75c and \$1.00 each

[H] Auratum. (*Gold Banded Lily*) (*L. auratum*). Blooms late summer. Grows 4 to 6 ft. tall. One of largest and most handsome of lilies. Blooms are often 10 in. across. Flared trumpet with ruffled edge, is ivory white with broad yellow band through center of each petal from throat to tip. Purple blotches on inner surface, crimson flecks throughout. Fragrant. 91GB3730—*Postpd.* Each 75c; 3 for \$2.10

[J] Estate or Easter Lily. (*L. longiflorum*). Blooms midsummer. Medium ht. Large, fragrant, pure white flowers. 91GB3715—*Postpd.* Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.85

SEE OPPOSITE PAGE FOR MORE INFORMATION

Favorite Cannas—3 of one variety for 60c

[B] to [G] Bloom all summer. Grow 3½ to 6 ft. tall. All will produce strong vigorous plants known for their large brilliant flowers. Create a lush, tropical appearance. Choose from 8 excellent varieties. Plant these favorites for gorgeous color displays. Shipped in spring only.

[B] 91 GB 3510—President. Immense scarlet flowers. Large green foliage. One of the best. Medium height.

91 GB 3512—Statue of Liberty. (Not pictured.) The giant of all Cannas. Bloom similar to (B) above. Coppery foliage.

[C] 91 GB 3511—Hungaria. Large rose-pink blooms with cream edge. Good with perennials. Low growing.

[D] 91 GB 3509—Yellow King Humbert. Spectacular big yellow blooms dotted red. Green foliage. Medium height.

[E] 91 GB 3513—Richard Wallace. Large canary yellow blooms. Green foliage. Free flowering. Low growing.

[F] 91 GB 3501—Eureka. Creamy buds, white flowers. Provides contrast for brighter colors. Medium height.

[G] 91 GB 3504—Rosamond Cole. Bright red throat. Bright yellow edge dotted with red, blends to edge. Low growing.

Prices of Above Cannas. State Catalog No. and Quantity.

Shipped *Postpaid* for planting time in spring only.

3 of one variety 60c... 10 of one variety \$1.75

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Colorful, Stately Calla Lilies

Collection of 3 for \$125

[K] [L] [M] (*Zantedeschia*). Bloom late spring and summer. Stately and beautiful in the garden or as cut flower. Low to medium in height. Thrive best in part shade with plenty of moisture. May also be potted for indoor bloom. Plant 12-18 in. apart. Hardy zones 1 and 2; Zones 3 through 9, bulbs must be stored during winter. Shipped in spring only. Refer to Zone Map, Page 6. *Postpaid.*

91 GB 3634—*Calla Lily Collection*... 1 each of 3 below \$1.25

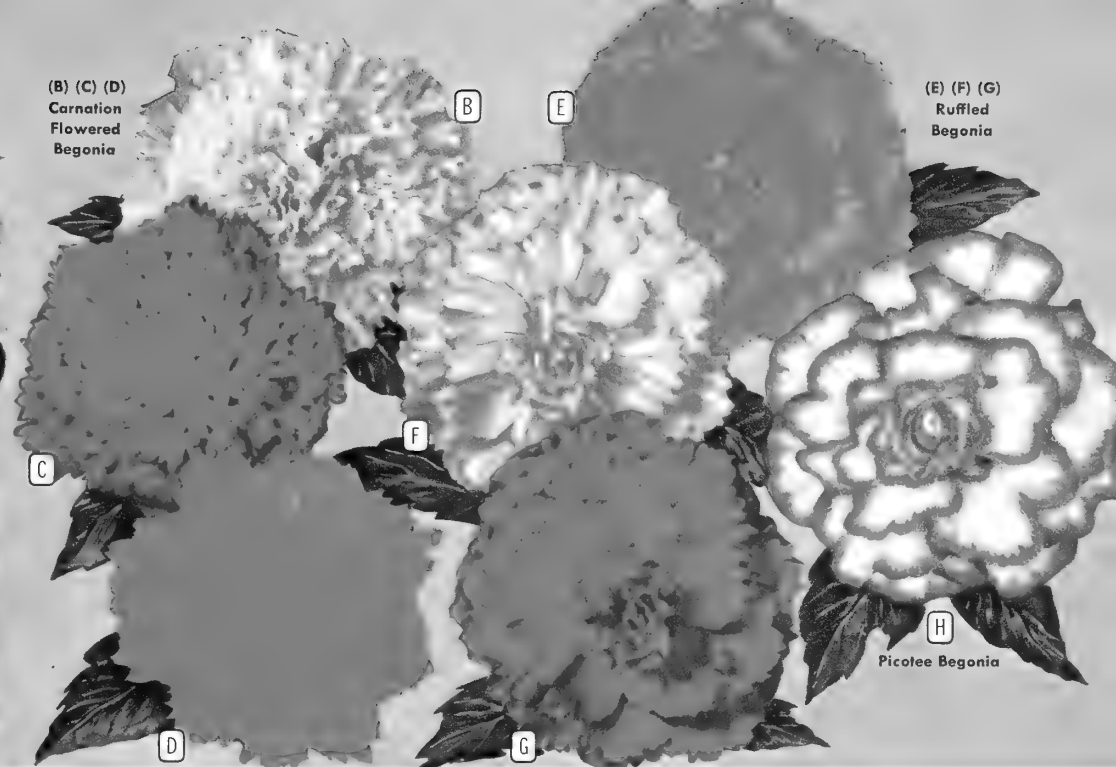
[K] Pink Calla. (*Z. rehmanni*). An unusual pink variety. 91 GB 3632—Shipped *Postpaid*... 2 for 95c; 6 for \$2.70

[L] Yellow Calla. (*Z. Elliottiana*). Perfectly formed, golden-yellow flowers. Green foliage with silver specks. 91 GB 3607—Shipped *Postpaid*... 2 for 95c; 6 for \$2.70

[M] White Calla. (*Z. aethiopica*). Large, pure white blooms. 91 GB 3608—Shipped *Postpaid*... 2 for 95c; 6 for \$2.70



A Hanging Basket Begonia



(B) (C) (D)
Carnation
Flowered
Begonia

(E) (F) (G)
Ruffled
Begonia

H
Picotee Begonia

Enjoy Lavish Bloom in Shade

PLANT TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS UNDER TREES, IN WINDOW BOXES

Camellia Flowered Begonias

Collection of 10 for \$250

- Most popular of all Tuberous Rooted Begonias
- Beautiful Camellia form in striking harmony of colors

Collection of five Colors. (Pictured above.) Huge double flowered Camellia type Begonias. Waxy overlapping petals. All the romantic beauty of the Camellia with even finer array of soft colors.

Collection includes 2 each of Dark Red, Pink, Yellow, Flame Orange and White. 91 GB 3622—Postpaid. . . . All 10 for \$2.50

Assorted Begonias—16 Tubers \$375

Mixed Collection. Makes double border more than 12 ft. long, or a bed 6 ft. square. Includes 10 Camellia and 6 Carnation type Begonias in assorted colors.

91 GB 3616—Postpaid. . . All 16 bulbs \$3.75

Get Blooms 5 to 9 Inches Across 60 to 90 days after planting and until frost. Lovely delicate colored flowers on bushy, medium-low growing plants. For best results bulbs should be started indoors. Unless your order states for "starting indoors" we will ship later for outdoor planting.

For Indoor or Outdoor Use. Thrive best under tall trees where they have ample air circulation, and get about 2 hours of morning sun. May be potted in fall for indoor bloom. Plant 18 in. apart in shade or part shade, in well-drained soil. Use acid type fertilizer.

Bulbs are 1 1/2-2 inches in diam. Wards bulbs are the best quality bulbs obtainable for general garden use. Backed by Wards Guarantee on Page 4. May be planted in all zones, but should be dug and stored indoors in winter. Shipped Postpaid in spring only.

A **Hanging Basket Begonias.** Clusters of double flowers hang in colorful profusion. Smaller size than other begonias, but large quantity of flowers makes up for it. Ideal for hanging baskets or window boxes. Baskets should be hung in still, wind-free location. Pinch off tips of tubers when first flower bud appears to make a fuller basket. No color choice.

91 GB 3615—Postpaid. 2 for 80c; 6 for \$2.10

B C D **Double Carnation Flowered Begonias.** Large double blooms with delicately fluted petals. Many home gardeners like them even better than the carnations they closely resemble. Available in Pink (B), Dark Red (C) and Yellow (D). Buy all three colors for a breathtaking array of colorful bloom. State Color.

91 GB 3613—Postpaid. 2 for 70c; 6 for \$1.95

E F G **Ruffled Begonia.** Similar to double camellia type. One of the most popular groups of begonias because of beautiful variations of frilling, ruffling and scalloping. Often blooms 8 and 9 in. across. Extremely vigorous. One of the most mildew-resistant plants. Excellent cut flower. Available in Yellow (E), Pink (F), or Red (G). State Color.

91 GB 3618—Postpaid. 2 for 95c

Ruffled Begonia Collection. Includes 2 each of red, pink and yellow. Pictured E, F and G above. 91 GB 3617—Postpaid. All 6 for \$2.65

H **Picotee Begonia.** Double, perfectly formed flowers. White with a sparkling edging, varying from bright pink through soft salmon to bright red.

91 GB 3619—Postpaid. 2 for 95c; 6 for \$2.70

Easy to Grow Hardy Lilies—Low as 2 for 70c

(*Lilium*.) No other flower adds so much dignity and charm to the garden scene. Easy to grow, multiply rapidly, require no special care, once they become established combine well in Perennial borders. Thrive best in rich loam with some sand for drainage. Plant in spring or fall. 18 in. apart in full sun. Hardy in all zones. Planting instructions included with order.

J **Regal Lily.** (*L. regale*.) Blooms in late spring and early summer. Tall growing. One of the most beautiful and easy to grow of all lilies. Large, fragrant, trumpet-shaped white flowers. Gold shading in throat. Lilac tints on reverse side of petals. Often produces from 18 to 20 blooms when well established. Plant 24 in. apart in spring or fall. Shipped Postpaid.

91 GB 3706—State Size of Bulb circumference. 5-6 inch . . 2 for 70c; 6 for \$1.95; 10 for \$2.65 6-8 inch . . 2 for 90c; 6 for 2.50; 10 for 3.95

Bargain Garden of Regal Lilies. Produce more and more flowers every year. Blooming size bulbs 3-4 inches in circumference.

91 GB 3709—Postpaid. 6 bulbs for \$1.25

K **Rubrum Lily.** (*L. speciosum rubrum*.) Blooms in late summer. Tall growing. White flowers, deeply suffused with pink and flecked with ruby. Petals edged with white. Large, conspicuous anthers. Slender foliage. One of the most spectacular lilies. Plant in partial shade. 91 GB 3705—Bulb 7-9 in. in circumference. Shipped Postpaid. Each 95c; 3 for \$2.70

L **Henryi—**(*L. henryi*.) Blooms in fall. Very tall. Bright golden yellow flowers spotted with brown. A lovely lily of Chinese origin. Lends an exotic note to your garden.

91 GB 3717—Postpaid. . . . 2 for 85c; 6 for \$2.40

M **Flame —**(*L. elegans atrapurpleum*.) Blooms late spring and summer. Medium height. Fiery orange-red petals; thick short foliage. Brilliant border plant.

91 GB 3716—Postpaid. . 2 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.95

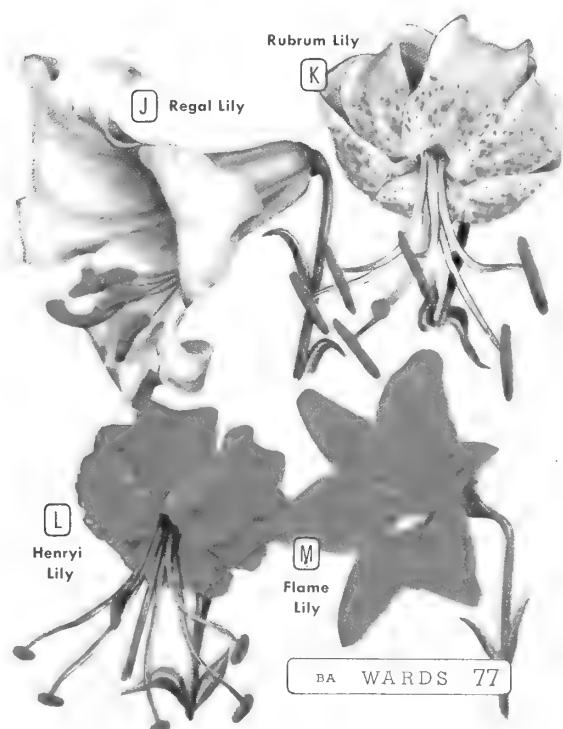
Favorite Lily Garden

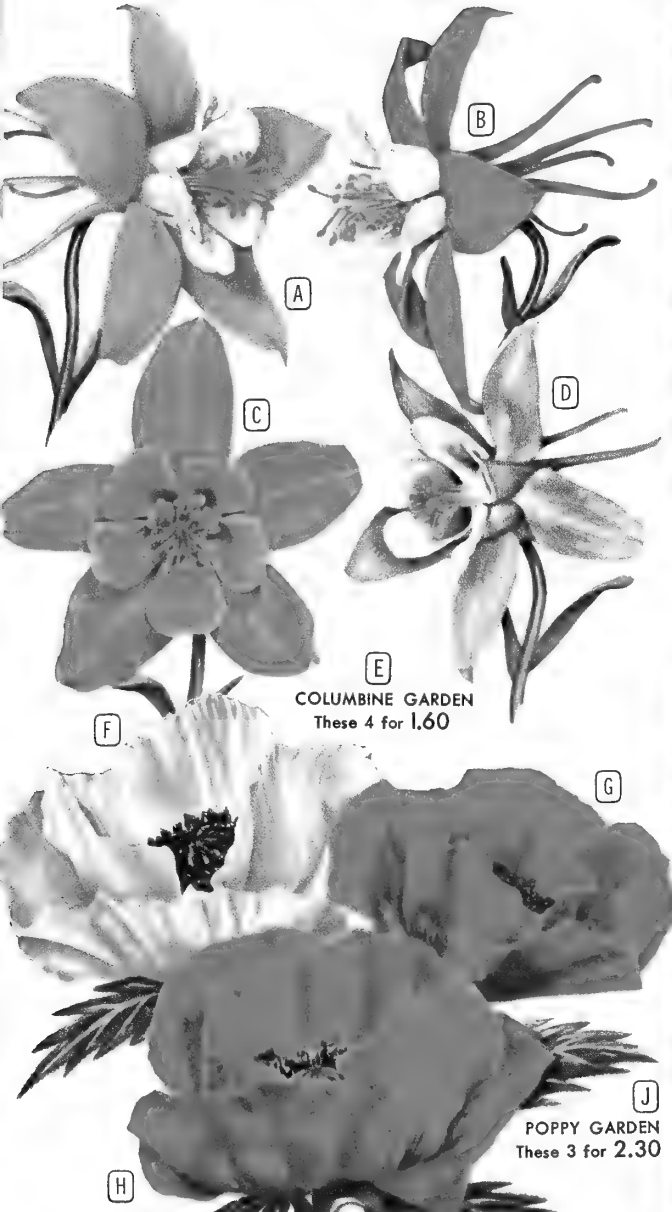
All 4 Pictured at Right \$215

Includes 1 each of Regal (5-6 in. bulb size), Henryi, Flame and Rubrum Lilies. All are time-tested lily favorites. Other bulbs are same size listed on this page.

91 GB 3711—Postpaid. All 4 for \$2.15

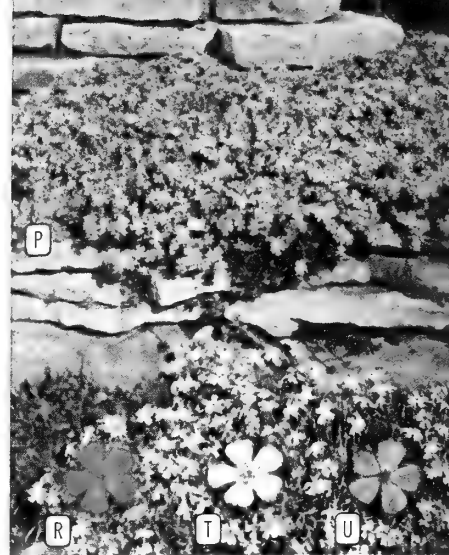
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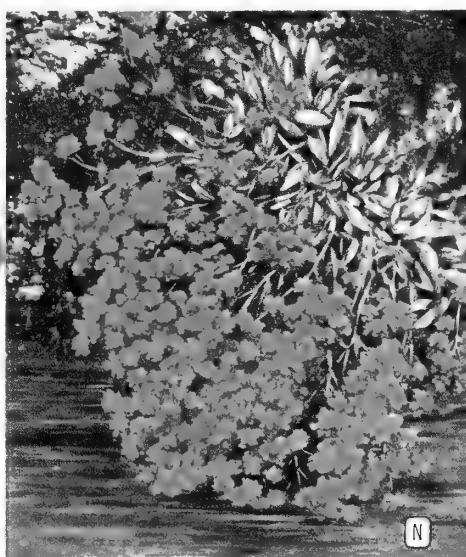
M BLEEDING HEARTS—3 for 1.85

N ALYSSUM SAXATILE—2 plants for 95c



V CREEPING PHLOX—4 for 1.75

W DWARF IRIS—6 for 2.55



Old Fashioned Favorites for Spring Bloom

Columbine Hybrids—Low as 4 for \$1.60

(*Aquilegia*). Their pastel colors, and graceful shapes make a lovely sight in late spring. Favorites for cutting. Med. ht. Plant 8–10 in. apart, spring or fall in part shade. Hardy all zones.

A **Rose Queen.** Outstanding shade of bright rose-pink. 91 GB 2564—Shipped Postpaid.....2 for 90c

B **Crimson Star.** Huge flowers. Crimson sepals, white petals. 91 GB 2560—Shipped Postpaid.....2 for 90c

C **Golden Glow.** Long spurred, golden yellow blooms. 91 GB 2565—Shipped Postpaid.....2 for 90c

D **Burpee Blue Shades.** Light and dark blue, purple shades. 91 GB 2559—Shipped Postpaid.....2 for 90c

E **Columbine Garden.** Collection includes 1 each of 4 above. 91 GB 2567—Shipped Postpaid.....All 4 for \$1.60

Giant McKanna Hybrid Columbine. (Not Pictured). A 1955 All-America winner. Flowers average 4-in. diam., spurs 3 to 4 in. long. Multi-color. Hardy, spring-flowering. No color choice. 91 GB 2552—Shipped Postpaid.....2 for \$1.00

Oriental Poppies—Low as 3 for \$2.30

(*Papaver orientale*). Perfect companions for peonies and tall Bearded Iris. Huge blooms on medium-tall stems. Hardy in all zones, but need winter mulch in zones 6–9. Plant spring or fall, 12–18 in. apart, in rich, well drained soil and full sun.

F **Phenomenal.** One of largest poppies. Satiny pink blooms. 91 GB 2420—Shipped Postpaid.....Each 95c, 3 for \$2.55

G **Big Jim.** Huge deep maroon blooms. Outstanding, unusual. 91 GB 2426—Shipped Postpaid.....Each 90c, 3 for \$2.45

H **Wurtembergia.** Large flowers in vibrant shade of flame red. 91 GB 2422—Shipped Postpaid.....Each 85c, 3 for \$2.40

J **Oriental Poppy Garden.** Includes 1 each of 3 above. 91 GB 2423—Shipped Postpaid.....3 for \$2.30

Bleeding Hearts—Low as 55c each

(*Dicentra*). Among most charming blooms in perennial border. Graceful branches studded with showy little flowers and dainty, light green foliage. Spread about as wide as they are tall. Use in rock garden or with spring bulbs. Plant in sun or shade in spring or fall. Tolerate fairly deep shade. Thrive best in rich, light soil. Hardy all zones.

K **Old Fashioned.** (*D. spectabilis*). Arching branches filled with red and white heart-shaped flowers in late spring. Medium ht. Combine well with tulips. Plant 2–3 ft. apart. Postpaid. 91 GB 2557—Each 95c.....3 for \$2.70

L **Fern Leafed.** (*D. eximia*). Low growing. Fine for front of border. Blooms in spring and fall. Under favorable conditions, blooms constantly. Deep rose-pink heart-shaped blooms. Plant 12–15 inches apart. Shipped Postpaid. 91 GB 2556—Each 55c.....3 for \$1.50

M **Garden.** 2 of (L) and 1 of (K) above. 91 GB 2558—Postpaid. All 3 for \$1.85

Alyssum Saxatile 2 for 95c

N **"Basket of Gold."** Profuse tiny blooms of bright yellow—among earliest of spring. Ornamental spreading silver-green foliage. Low-growing—ideal for rock gardens, front of borders. Plant 12 in. apart in full sun; well-drained soil. Hardy all zones. Shipped Postpaid. 91 GB 2303—2 for 95c.....6 for \$2.70

Creeping Phlox—2 for 95c

(*Phlox subulata*). Dwarf spreading plant; grows about 6 in. tall. Small, moss-like leaves form dense mat—attractive through fall. At tulip time becomes blanket of bloom—a beautiful ground cover or edging for your tulip border. Ideal for rock garden. Plant 12 in. apart in rich, well-drained soil in full sun. Easy to grow. Hardy all zones.

P 91 GB 2367—**Pink Emerald.** Brilliant Pink. Beautiful with White Tulips.

R 91 GB 2366—**Crimson Beauty.** Largest Flower of the red types.

T 91 GB 2368—**Early Snowflake.** Forms a blanket of white for a lacy edge.

U 91 GB 2365—**Blue Emerald.** Lavender blue.

Prices of Above Creeping Phlox

State Catalog Number... Postpaid. 2 for 95c

V **Creeping Phlox Garden.** 1 ea. of 4 above. 91 GB 2364—Postpaid... All 4 for \$1.75

Dwarf Iris—2 for 90c

(*Iris pumila*). A low growing, dwarf-type plant for early spring garden. Clear, rich colors. Easy to grow, need good drainage. Plant 12 in. apart. Hardy all zones.

91 GB 3845—**Yellow Dwarf.**

91 GB 3848—**Wine Red Dwarf.**

91 GB 3846—**Blue Dwarf.**

Prices of Above Dwarf Iris

State Catalog Number... Postpaid. 2 for 90c

W **Dwarf Iris Garden.** 2 each of above 3. 91 GB 3859—Postpaid... All 6 for \$2.55



Easy-to-Grow Iris With Beauty of Orchids

Kaempferi Iris—Ea. 80c

Bloom late spring and summer. Medium tall growing. Immense blooms in exquisite rainbow colors. Velvety texture. Graceful foliage. Excellent as a border planting, and strikingly beautiful with Regal Lilies and Delphinium. Easy to grow in any ordinary soil, but do not like lime. Plant 18 in. apart in sun or part shade. Hardy all zones but need winter protection in zones 8, 9. See Zone Map on Page 6.

(A) 91 GB 3853—**Columbia**. Exceptionally striking double variety. Blue with pure white veins, yellow center. Handsome garden addition.

(B) 91 GB 3842—**Flamingo**. Exquisite shade of deep rose-pink. White centers with touches of green.

(C) 91 GB 3840—**Royal Robe**. Rich, deep, velvety purple with golden centers. Very dark veins on petals.

(D) 91 GB 3852—**Betty F. Holmes**. Rich, velvety, pure white blooms often 12 inches across. Double set of petals. Considered the best white.

Prices of Above Iris. Postpaid. State Cat. No. Each 80c, 3 for \$2.25

(E) 91 GB 3854—**Kaempferi Iris Garden**. Includes 1 each of 4 above. Shipped Postpaid. All 4 for \$2.80

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Perennials, shrubs, many bulbs are planted spring or fall.

Prize Winning Bearded Iris—7 for \$4⁶⁵

Standard bearers of beauty in late spring. These superb varieties are among the most popular in the 1957 Popularity Poll of the American Iris Society. All are A.I.S. Award of Merit and Honorable Mention winners; each is among the top 3 in its color class. (G), (J) and (N) below are Dykes Medal winners. Flowers are larger, more beautiful, taller than ordinary Iris. Easy to grow in almost any well-drained soil. Drought resistant. Hardy all zones. Plant 2 ft. apart in spring or fall.

(F) **Garden of Prize Winning Iris**. 1 each of all 7 varieties below. 91 GB 3835—Shipped Postpaid in Spring or Fall. 7 for \$4.65

(G) **Ola Kala**. No. 1 Iris favorite for seven years. Intense yellow; almost orange. Ruffled; well branched. Postpaid. 91 GB 3826—Ea. 65c, 3 for \$1.80

(H) **Minnie Colquitt**. Chosen No. 2 placata type Iris. White with purple edge. Postpaid. 91 GB 3818—Ea. 75c, 3 for \$1.95

(J) **Blue Shimmer**. Selected Number 1 placata type Iris. White, dappled with blue. Postpaid. 91 GB 3830—Ea. 75c, 3 for \$1.95

(N) **Cherie**. Voted No. 3 pink type Iris. Delightful, ruffled flamingo pink; tangerine beard. Excellent form and substance. 91 GB 3821—Shipped Postpaid. Each 85c, 3 for \$2.40

(K) **Solid Mahogany**. Voted No. 2 deep red Iris. Large finely formed blooms of good substance. Large, heavily textured. Postpaid. 91 GB 3825—Ea. 75c, 3 for \$1.95

(L) **New Snow**. Voted No. 1 white Iris. Ruffled with yellow beard. Tall grower. Postpaid. 91 GB 3819—Ea. 75c, 3 for \$1.95

(M) **Sable**. Voted Number 2 purple type Iris. Black-purple with violet-blue beard. Postpaid. 91 GB 3823—Ea. 65c, 3 for \$1.80

Fragrant Vesper Iris—2 plants for 95c

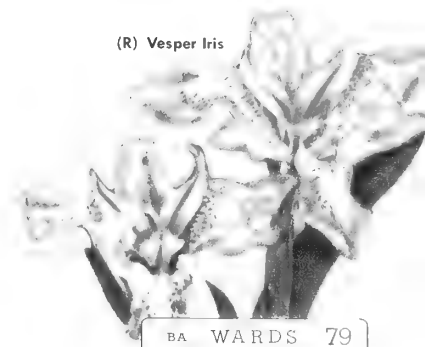
(R) (*Iris dichotoma*). This Iris will carry your Iris season through summer and right up to frost. Fragrant, creamy-white flowers overlaid with violet-purple markings. Attract more bees and hummingbirds to your garden than almost any other plant. One plant produces 8 to 10 stalks with as many as 4 to 6 blooms open at one time. Plant in spring only, 10 inches apart. Hardy in zones 1 through 8. See Zone Map, Page 6. 91 GB 2344—Shipped Postpaid in Spring. 2 plants for 95c

Siberian Iris—Each 70c

(P) (*I. sibirica*). **Caesar's Brother**. A stately plant of moderate height with long, slender leaves that remain green all season. An abundance of rich pansy-violet blooms in late spring. Neatly rounded—makes a superb plant in the border. Considered the best dark blue Siberian Iris. Given Honorable Mention by the American Iris Society. Plant 18 to 24 inches apart in spring or fall. Thrive in any good garden loam, in sun or part shade. Hardy in all zones. 91 GB 3870—Shipped Postpaid. Each 70c. 3 for \$1.85

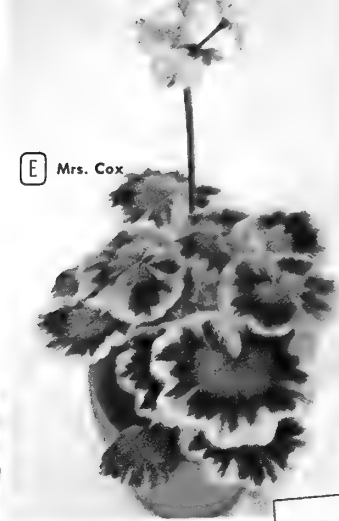
Snow Crest. (Not Pictured). Siberian Iris similar to Caesar's Brother. Flowers are white and slightly frilled.

91 GB 3875—Shipped Postpaid. Each 80c. 3 for \$2.25





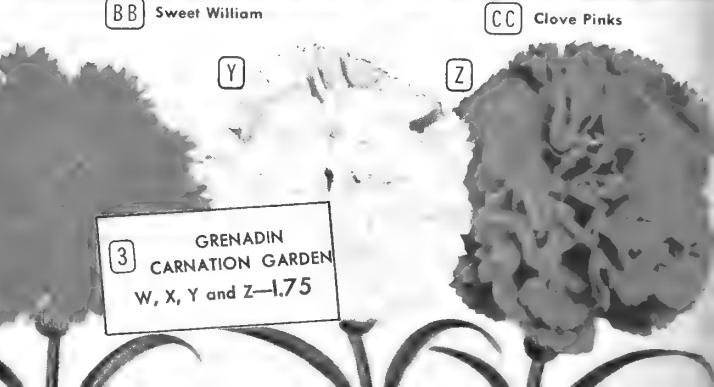
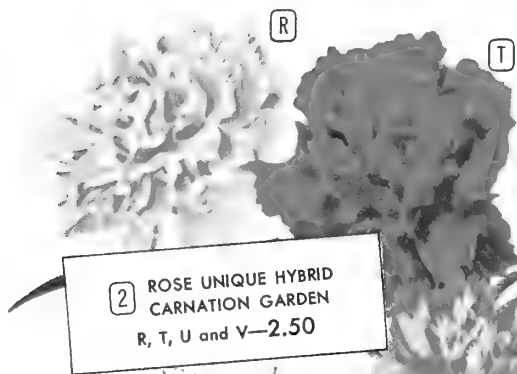
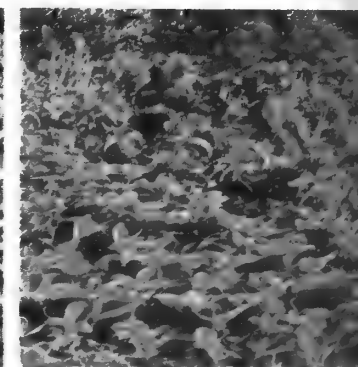
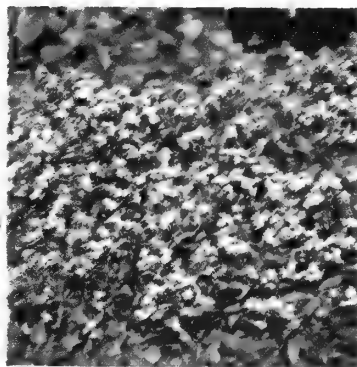
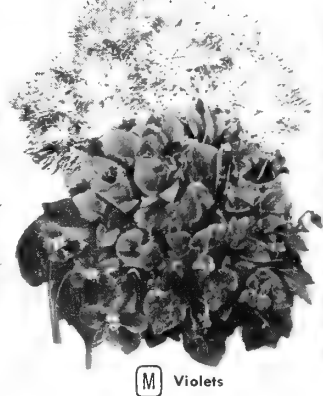
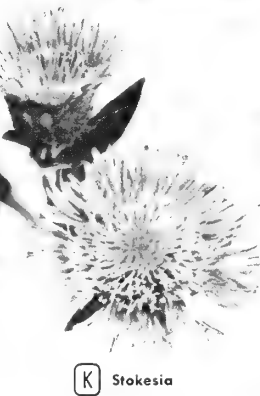
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1 FANCY LEAF
ZONALE GERANIUMS
Collection of 4 for 3.25



L Artemesia, Silver Mound



Colorful Plants for Long Seasons of Bloom

PLANT GERANIUMS FOR OUTDOOR OR INDOOR USE—EASY TO GROW Low as 37¢ Each in Lots of 50

Almost Continuous Bloom—Spring to Frost. Beautiful big flower heads or richly colored foliage types for borders, window boxes, urns or porch box planting. Among the most useful of all plants for lining walks or driveways, or in pots to border a terrace or patio. Plant in a mass of one color or all the colors together. You'll find the colors will never clash.

Excellent as Potted Plants for Indoor Use. If you have a sunny window you can keep it full of colorful plants all winter. New young well established plants shipped by Wards are the best for most indoor conditions. However you can cut back plants that have bloomed outdoors. For best results keep the room cool at night (55–65°), water when dry.

Bloom within 3-4 Weeks After Planting. Plant after frost is out of the ground. Plants shipped are 4 to 8 inches tall, packed in paper pots with root system undisturbed. Strong growing, compact and vigorous. Easy to grow in all zones but must be dug and brought indoors over winter before killing frost. Planting instructions with order.

All Geraniums are shipped from January 1 to June 1 in spring, and from September 15 to December 31 in fall. If wanted for indoor use, please state on your order. If preferred shipping date is not given, plants will be shipped at proper outdoor planting time in your area.

(A) TO (D) LARGE DOUBLE FLOWERED ZONALE GERANIUMS. (*Pelargonium zonale*). Distinctive colors will accent your garden. Vigorous growers on strong stems. All are free flowering. Will grow well even in hot, dry areas, and under adverse conditions.

- (A) 91 GB 2253—**White.** Pure white double blooms on bushy plant.
- (B) 91 GB 2252—**Light Pink.** Magnificent pink flowers. Profuse bloomer.
- (C) 91 GB 2250—**Dark Red.** Outstanding deep crimson blooms. Popular.
- (D) 91 GB 2251—**Bright Red.** Brilliant clear red. Superb variety.

Prices of Above Geraniums—Postpaid, State Catalog Number.

4 of one color for...\$1.90; Any 12 for...\$4.80; Any 50 for...\$18.50

No need to wait. Buy all the nursery stock you need now on Wards convenient Monthly Payment Plan. See Page 50. See Page 4 for Wards Guarantee.

(E) TO (H) FANCY LEAF ZONALE GERANIUMS. Very desirable because of their highly decorative foliage. Interesting and beautiful leaf color and designs.

(E) **Mrs. Cox.** Most colorful of the fancy-leaf Geraniums. Bright yellow-edged leaves splashed crimson and brown. Single, light salmon colored flowers. 91 GB 2260—Postpaid.....Each \$1.50

(G) **Happy Thought.** A popular tri-color. Irregular large ivory center. Bright green edging. Faint brown shading. Single scarlet flowers. 91 GB 2261—Postpaid.....Each 85c

(F) **Mademoiselle Languth.** Silvery-green leaves bordered with white and faint brown shading. Best flowering, Fancy Leaf. Double, cherry-red blooms. 91 GB 2263—Postpaid.....Each 75c

(H) **Skies of Italy.** Deeply toothed green leaves with attractive yellow edges. Crimson to bright orange band. Single brilliant vermilion-red flowers. 91 GB 2262—Postpaid.....Each 75c

(I) 91 GB 2264—Fancy Leaf Collection. 1 each of above 4. Postpaid.....4 for \$3.25

Use Perennials* for Added Color Interest Every Year

(J) Trollius. (*Trollius luteus*). Blooms late spring and all summer. Medium tall plants with double flowers like glorified buttercups. Long, bright yellow outer petals and smaller center petals of rich orange. Two inches across and produced in clusters. Abundance of blooms for cutting. Plant 12 inches apart in sun or shade in spring or fall. Hardy all zones. 91 GB 2396—Shipped Postpaid.....2 for \$1.50

(K) Stokesia, Blue Moon. (*Stokesia laevis*). Blooms late summer and fall. Grows about 15 in. tall. Immense, light blue flowers often 3-4 in. across. Look like China Asters. Complements color of most fall flowers. Stems purplish in color, covered with white woolly hairs; foliage unusual gray-green. Well-branched, erect growth. Blooms profusely. Not attacked by insects. Plant 12 inches apart in a sunny, well-drained location in spring or fall. Easy to grow. Hardy in all zones. 91 GB 2378—Shipped Postpaid.....2 for \$1.10

*Perennial plants grow from their roots every year.

(L) Artemisia. Silver Mound. (*Schmidtiana nana*). Fern-like foliage of bright silvery-gray makes delightful effect in the rock garden or as an accent plant, but is most distinctive when used for edging beds or walks. Handsome, compact, mound-like plant grows to about 4 in. high and 12 in. in diam. Thrives in a warm, sunny, dry location. Hardy in all zones. 91 GB 2345—Shipped Postpaid.....2 for \$1.35

(M) Violets. (*Viola odorata*). Time-honored favorites bloom for about a month in spring and sometimes again in early winter. Sweetly fragrant. Excellent as a ground cover. Grow in any moist, partly shaded soil. Thrive best in deeply dug soil with a heavy dressing of organic fertilizer. Require little care. Plant 12 inches apart in spring or fall. Hardy in all zones.

Royal Robe. One of the loveliest varieties. Deep, rich violet-blue flowers rival pansies in size. Very free flowering. 91 GB 2576—Postpaid. Each 65c; 3 for \$1.80; 6 for \$3.30

Prince of Wales. Fragrant deep, rich purple flowers with extremely long stems. One of finest of all violet varieties. 91 GB 2577—Postpaid. Each 50c; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.40

(N) Forget-Me-Not, Baby Blue Eyes. (*Myosotis scorpioides*). Blooms freely, spring until fall. Cheerful, dainty, blue flowers with white eye grow in a low, tight cluster on carpet of dark foliage. Plant 8 in. apart in part shade and in spring or fall. Hardy all zones, protect in zones 7 through 9. Postpaid. 91 GB 2317—2 for 95c; 6 for \$2.50

(P) Coleus. Popular annual potting and bedding plant. Leaves vary in color, form. Thrive best in semi-shade. Must be dug before frost. Shipped in spring only. If wanted for indoor pots, please state and shipment will be made earlier. Mixed colors. Postpaid. 91 GB 2270—4 for.....\$1.45 12 for \$3.75; 50 for \$14.00

Everblooming Hardy Carnations—Low as 55¢ Ea.

ROSE UNIQUE HYBRID CARNATIONS. (*Dianthus, Rose Unique strain*). Hardy, ever-blooming Carnations of an exceptionally beautiful strain. Taller than Grenadin Carnations below, stems 12 to 15 inches long. Pleasantly scented double blooms. Plants are from rooted cuttings to assure original characteristics.

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(R) 91 GB 2544—Glowing Salmon. Beautiful clusters of glowing salmon pink carnations.

(U) 91 GB 2541—Sweet Memory. Handsome white carnation blooms with crimson fleckings.

(T) 91 GB 2543—Stoplight. A new crimson vermillion. This variety will add deep tone to your border.

(V) 91 GB 2542—June Carmine. Beautiful bright carmine pink. Lovely with Carnation (Y) below.

Prices of Above Rose Unique Carnations—Postpaid.

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GRENADIN HARDY EVERBLOOMING CARNATIONS. (*Dianthus, Grenadin Strain*). Make a wonderful low growing border from which you may pick bouquets all summer. They are a good size, full double, deeply fringed, and have a spicy fragrance. Attractive, slender, silvery green foliage.

(3) Grenadin Carnation Garden. Includes 1 each of 4 varieties below. 91 GB 2534—Shipped Postpaid in Spring or Fall.....All 4 for \$1.75

(W) 91 GB 2532—Rose Queen. Beautiful rose-pink blooms.

(Y) 91 GB 2533—Snowdrift. Snowy-white, glistening carnations.

(X) 91 GB 2529—Golden Sun. Satiny-sheened, soft canary yellow Carnations. Large, fluffy blooms.

(Z) 91 GB 2530—King of the Blacks. Blackish-crimson maroon blooms. Lovely with Carnation (T) above.

Prices of Above Grenadin Carnations—Postpaid.

Please State Catalog Number. Each 55c.....3 for \$1.50

Facts About Wards Carnations. Easy to grow. Bloom intermittently from early summer through fall. Plant 12–15 in. apart in full sun, spring or fall. Do best in warm, well-drained soil. Thrive in all zones, protect zones 7 through 9.

Dianthus Favorites—Low as 2 for 80¢

(AA) Dianthus, Wallace Red. (*Dianthus latifolius*). Blooms all summer until fall. Medium low. Brilliant crimson clusters of flowers look like small carnations. Bloom well first season, and better each year thereafter. Mature plants have about 50 flowers during one season. Delightful spicy carnation fragrance. Popular as a cutting flower; keeps well for several days. Good for sunny, exposed places in beds, borders and rock gardens. Plant 8 to 12 inches apart in well-drained location in spring or fall. Hardy all zones. 91 GB 2550—Shipped Postpaid in Spring or Fall.....2 for \$1.15

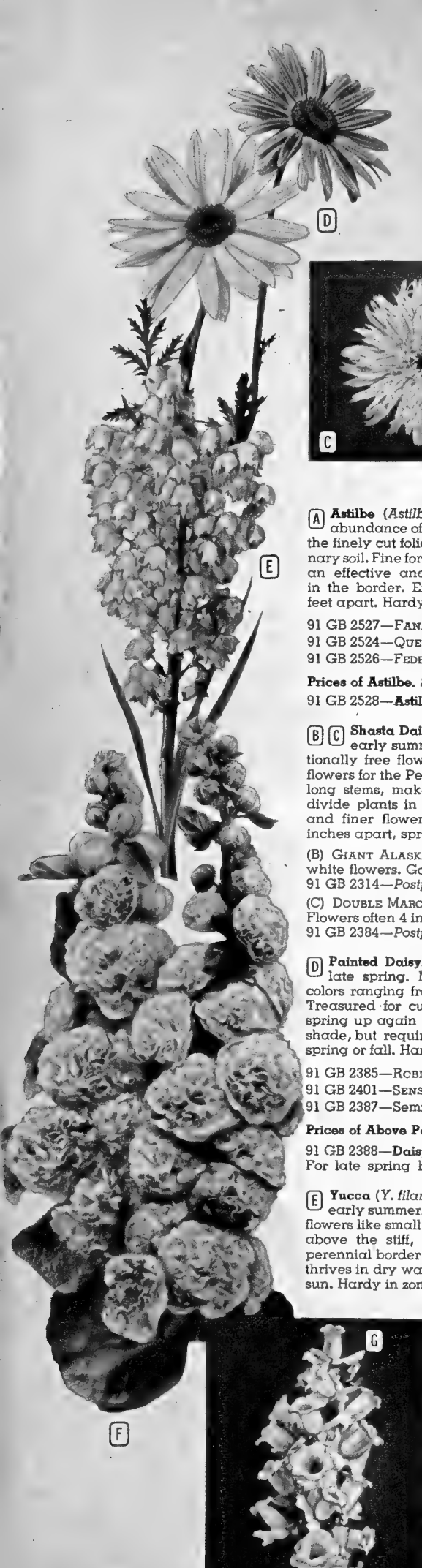
(BB) Sweet William. (*Dianthus barbatus*). Blooms in late spring. Medium low growing. This wonderful old-fashioned favorite comes in a vivid splash of colors ranging from purest white to dark red. One-inch floret in four-to-six-inch clusters. Each bloom is a solid little bouquet diffusing a delightful fragrance. Makes a lovely cut flower for vase or table centerpiece. Foliage is gray-green—nice contrast in the perennial border. Easy to grow in any well-drained soil. As flowers fade, cut to increase new bloom. Hardy in all zones. Plant 12 inches apart in full sun in spring or fall.

91 GB 2342—**Calico.** Shades of red and pink with white eye.
91 GB 2339—**Scarlet Beauty.** Clusters of brilliant scarlet florets.
91 GB 2343—**Purple Beauty.** Unusual variety with purple tufts.

Prices of Above Sweet William. Postpaid, State Catalog No.....2 for 85c

Sweet William Garden. A delightful array of late spring color. 91 GB 2341—Includes 2 each of above 3 varieties. Postpaid....6 for \$2.25

(CC) Clove Pinks. (*Dianthus plumarius*). Scoticus Strain. Blooms throughout summer and early fall. Old-fashioned favorites. Delightful fringed flowers 2 inches across, bear the rich, spicy scent of clove. Graceful, feathery, silver-gray foliage makes lovely color harmony. Beautiful in bouquets. Excellent for rock garden or rock wall. Thrives in dry, sunny location in any ordinary, well-drained soil, especially well in limed soil. Plant 8 inches apart. Mixture of delicate pink, white and rose; includes some double varieties. No color choice, but all beautiful. Hardy all zones. 91 GB 2329—Shipped Postpaid for Spring or Fall planting. 2 plants for.....80c



Use Perennial Plants for

(A) Astilbe (*Astilbe thunbergii*). Blooms in early summer. An abundance of great feathery plumes of bloom well above the finely cut foliage. A tall plant. Easy to grow in any ordinary soil. Fine for sunny border or damp shady spot. Provides an effective and colorful background for shorter flowers in the border. Excellent in border with shrubs. Plant two feet apart. Hardy in zones 1 through 8.

91 GB 2527—FANAL. Spikes of brilliant garnet-red.
91 GB 2524—QUEEN ALEXANDRA. Lovely soft pink blooms.
91 GB 2526—FEDERSEE. Brilliant shade of carmine-red.

Prices of Astilbe. State Cat. No. Postpaid.....Each \$1.00
91 GB 2528—Astilbe Garden. Ppd. 1 each of above 3, 2.70

(B) C Shasta Daisies. (*Chrysanthemum maximum*). Bloom in early summer. Medium height. Easy to grow. Exceptionally free flowering. One of the most satisfactory white flowers for the Perennial Garden. Its large, white flowers on long stems, make it invaluable as a cut flower. Lift and divide plants in alternate years for more compact growth and finer flowers. Thrive in a sunny location. Plant 12 inches apart, spring or fall. Hardy in all zones.

(B) GIANT ALASKA. Handsome plants with large, glistening white flowers. Golden-yellow centers.

91 GB 2314—Postpaid.....Each 50c; 3 for \$1.35

(C) DOUBLE MARCONI. Double row fine-cut, fringed petals. Flowers often 4 inches across. Yellow centers.

91 GB 2384—Postpaid.....Each 55c; 3 for \$1.35

(D) Painted Daisy. (*Chrysanthemum coccineum*). Blooms in late spring. Medium height. Bright showy flowers in colors ranging from deep crimson to light pink and white. Treasured for cutting. If cut back in midsummer, they'll spring up again and bloom in fall. Do well even in partial shade, but require good drainage. Plant 12 inches apart in spring or fall. Hardy in all zones. Postpaid.

91 GB 2385—ROBINSON RED. Generous deep red blooms.
91 GB 2401—SENSATION. Rose red blooms, fully double.
91 GB 2387—Semi-Double Hybrids. Assortment of colors.

Prices of Above Painted Daisies. Ppd. State Cat. No. 2 for 90c
91 GB 2388—Daisy Garden. 2 each of above three varieties. For late spring bouquets. Postpaid.....6 for \$2.40

(E) Yucca (*Y. filamentosa*. Also called *Mountain Lily*). Blooms early summer. Flaunts scores of creamy white pendulous flowers like small mission bells from tall straight spikes, high above the stiff, sword-shaped leaves. Fine for shrub or perennial border as an accent plant. Needs good drainage, thrives in dry waterless places. Plant 2 to 3 feet apart in full sun. Hardy in zones 1 through 7.

91 GB 2327—Shipped Postpaid. 2 for 85c

(F) Double Hollyhock (*Althaea rosea*). Blooms early summer. For four weeks 24 inches of flower stalk are covered with 4-in. blooms—so double they look like small peonies. Large, rough-textured leaves. Best planted alone, as their height dwarfs other flowers. Plant 12-24 in. apart in full sun, and well drained soil. Hardy all zones. Protect in zones 8-9. Extensively grown in this country and throughout the world; originally a Chinese species.

91 GB 2375—SUNSET. Subtle shade of apricot yellow.
91 GB 2373—PURPLE KING. Large purple flowers.
91 GB 2374—RED BLAZE. Vivid scarlet blooms.

Prices of Hollyhocks. State Cat. No. Postpaid.....2 for 95c
91 GB 2376—Garden. Ppd. 2 ea. of above 3...6 for \$2.50

(G) Canterbury Bells (*Campanula*). "Cup and Saucer Plant." The plants are pyramidal in growth, about 30 inches in height, and profusely covered with large bell-shaped flowers in late spring. Plant spring or fall; 18 in. apart in well-drained soil, full sun. Hardy all zones.

91 GB 2393—ROSE. A lovely shade of clearest pink.
91 GB 2394—WHITE. Nice contrast with pink and blue.
91 GB 2395—BLUE. Delightful bright intense blue.

Prices of Canterbury Bells. Postpaid.....3 for \$1.15
91 GB 2392—Garden. 2 ea. of 3 above. Postpaid. 6 for 2.00

(H) DORONICUM—Mme. Mason. (*Leopardbane*) (*D. caucasicum*). Blooms freely from spring until fall. Medium height. Bright yellow flowers with long, stiff stems. Excellent for cutting. Easy to grow. Thrive best in rich loam, in sun or partial shade. Plant 6 to 8 in. apart in spring or fall. Hardy in all zones; need protection in zones 8 and 9.

91 GB 2306—Shipped Postpaid....Each 70c; 3 for \$1.95

(J) (K) (L) Baby's Breath. (*Gypsophila*). Tiny flowers so profuse they almost hide foliage. Lend lacy effect to borders and bouquets... colors combine perfectly with other flowers. Use dried for winter bouquets. Branches are surprisingly firm. Thrive in ordinary garden soil with sunlight. Need little care. Hardy in all zones.

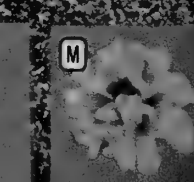
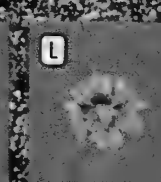
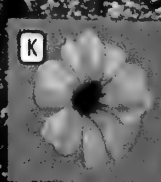
(J) 91 GB 2501—BRISTOL FAIRY. (*G. viscosa*). Blooms summer and fall. Double white florets. Ppd. Ea. 95c; 3 for \$2.70

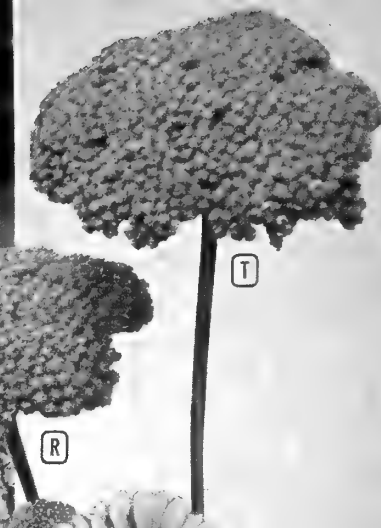
(K) 91 GB 2503—PANICULATA. (*G. paniculata*). A mass of single white flowers in early summer. Ppd. Ea. 45c; 3 for \$1.20

(L) 91 GB 2568—FLAMINGO. (*G. viscosa*). Double pink flowers in summer. Postpaid.....Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.85

91 GB 2504—Baby's Breath Garden. 1 each of (J), (K) and (L) above. Postpaid.....All 3 for \$2.10

(M) Not Available





A Succession of Bloom Every Year

(N) Ageratum. (*Eupatorium coelestinum*). Blooms late summer until cut down by frost. Sparkling, azure blue, ball-shaped flowers in clusters cover plants about 2 ft. tall. Makes neat border around perennial bed or rock garden. Easy to grow in almost any soil. Thrive in sun or partial shade. Plant 8 in. apart, spring or fall. Hardy in all zones.

91 GB 2302—Shipped Postpaid.....2 for 95c

(P R T) Achillea (Yarrow). Blooms from early summer through fall. Medium height. Thrives in any soil, but does best in well-drained, sunny location. Ideal for border. Plant 10 in. apart in spring or fall. Hardy all zones.

(P) ANGEL'S BREATH. (*Achillea ptarmica*). (Improved, The Pearl). 1 to 2 ft. tall. Double white flowers about 1/2 in. across look like clusters of miniature mums—cover the plant. Ideal for cut flowers. Blooms abundantly yet needs little care.

91 GB 2301—Shipped Postpaid.....2 for 90c

(R) PINK ACHILLEA. (*A. millefolium roseum*). About 2 feet tall. Clusters dark rose to pale pink. Fern-like foliage. Pleasant fragrance. Spreading plant with branching stem.

91 GB 2305—Shipped Postpaid.....2 for 90c

(T) GOLD PLATE ACHILLEA (*A. filipendulina*). Large yellow blooms on sturdy stems. About 4 ft. tall. Can be dried for winter bouquets. Cut when flower is at color peak. Wrap in paper until dry to prevent fading.

91 GB 2349—Shipped Postpaid.....2 for 90c

91 GB 2348—**Achillea Garden.** 2 ea. of (P), (R) and (T) above. Shipped Postpaid.....All 6 for \$2.55

(U) Gaillardia. (*Gaillardia aristata*). Blooms all summer and fall, producing vivid 3-in. blooms that make lovely cut flowers. Medium height. Ideal for dry areas because it needs so little water. Thrives in rich, light soil and full sun. Plant 18 in. apart in spring or fall. Hardy all zones.

91 GB 2318—BURGUNDY. Reddish brown with darker centers.
91 GB 2319—DAZZLER. Bright hue of tangerine and bronze.
91 GB 2316—YELLOW QUEEN. Golden, excellent for cutting.

Price of above Gaillardia. Postpaid.....2 for 95c

91 GB 2321—**Gaillardia Garden.** Includes 1 each of above 3. Shipped Postpaid.....All 3 for \$1.25

(V) Veronica. **Crater Lake Blue.** (*Veronica maritima*). The old favorite Speedwell. Blooms from early summer through fall. Medium height. Half its height is covered with rich, deep blue spikes of bloom. Favorite for borders, bouquets. This improved variety will withstand hot, dry weather. Prefers moist soil and full sun, but will do well in part shade. Plant 12 in. apart, spring or fall. Hardy in all zones.

91 GB 2337—Shipped Postpaid.....2 for 95c

(W) Butterfly Flower. (*Asclepias tuberosa*). Blooms in mid-summer. Medium height. Makes a brilliant border. Glossy orange petals form large 3 to 5-inch clusters. Thrives in well-drained, sandy soil, in full sun. Plant 12 inches apart in spring or fall. Hardy in all zones.

91 GB 2309—Shipped Postpaid.... Each 60c; 3 for \$1.65

(X) Chinese Lantern. (*Physalis alkekengi francheti*). Medium height. Blazing orange and scarlet pods like little Chinese lanterns hang from tall stems in late summer. May be dried for winter bouquets if placed in a vase without water. Complements other dried material. Plant 3 ft. apart in sun or shade. Hardy all zones.

91 GB 2307—Shipped Postpaid.....2 for 85c

(Y) Hardy Sweet Pea (*Lathyrus latifolius*). Blooms from summer till fall. Multiple flowering strain—will bear as many as five big flowers on each stem as it trails over 4 or 5 feet of fence or arbor. Delightful fragrance and long-lasting quality make them a favorite cut flower. Plant 3 ft. apart in full sun. Hardy zones 1 through 7.

91 GB 2324—CRIMSON KING. Soft tone of rich red.

91 GB 2325—ROSE QUEEN. A delicate shade of pink.

91 GB 2326—WHITE QUEEN. A pure white variety.

Prices of Above Sweet Peas. State Cat. No. Ppd....2 for 90c

91 GB 2323—**Sweet Pea Garden.** Postpaid. 2 each of above 3 varieties.....All 6 for \$2.45

(Z) Penstemon, Rose Elf. (*P. barbatus*). Blooms in summer. Tall with rich rose-pink bells on compact plants. Glossy foliage. Free blooming. Ten or more flower spikes on one plant. Flowers make an excellent addition to your summer bouquets. Hardy Zones 1-8. Mulch in winter in Zone 8. Plant 12 in. apart; in sun or part shade, in spring or fall.

91 GB 2308—Shipped Postpaid.... Each 65c; 3 for \$1.80

(AA) Hibiscus Giant Rosemallow (*Hibiscus palustris*). Blooms late summer and fall. One of the largest perennial plants—sometimes as tall as 7 feet. Huge Hollyhock-like blooms—4 to 5 in. across. 15 to 25 blooms open at once. Tall growing. Makes a large plant with big gray-green leaves. Dies back to ground in winter—grows from roots in spring. For sun or partial shade. Plant 3 to 4 ft. apart in rich, moist soil. Hardy in all zones, but need winter mulch protection in zones 8 and 9.

91 GB 2369—BRILLIANT. Clear brilliant red.

91 GB 2370—PINK PRINCESS. A lovely clear pink.

91 GB 2371—ALBINO—White flower with pink eye.

Prices of Hibiscus. Postpaid. State Cat. No.2 for 95c

91 GB 2372—**Hibiscus Garden.** Includes 2 each of above 3 varieties. Postpaid.....All 6 for \$2.65



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Flower Bulbs, Tubers or Pips	Page Listed	Bloom Period				Height to which It Grows	Exposure Preferred	Plant Dist.	Time to Plant	Time to Lift	Storage Conditions	Uses
		Early Spring	Late Spring	Sum- mer	Fall							
Amaryllis	48-49			x		Med. Low	Full Sun	18 in.	Spring	Before frost*	Dry sand	Potting, Borders
Begonia	77			x		Med. Low	Shade	18 in.	Spring	Before frost	Dry sand, peat moss	Bedding, Borders
Caladium	48-49			x		Med. Low	Part Shade	18 in.	Spring	Before frost	Pots of soil	Potting, Borders
Calla Lily	78		x	x		Low-Med.	Part Shade	15 in.	Spring	Before frost*	Bags or shallow trays	Potting, Borders
Canna	76			x		Various	Full Sun	18 in.	Spring	After first frost*	See Below Table	Bedding, Borders
Crocus	60, 61	x				Very low	Part Shade	4 in.	Fall	Winter hardy	Last for many years	Under shrubs, etc.
Daffodil	60, 61	x				Med. Low	Sun or part Shade	6 in.	Fall	Winter hardy	Last for many years	Beds, Borders
Dahlia	48, 49			x		Med.-tall	Sun	2½ ft.	Spring	See Below	See Below Table	Borders
Elephant's Ear	48, 49				x	Tall	Sun or part Shade	3½ ft.	Spring	Before frost	Soil or peat moss	Borders, Planters
Gladiolus	46, 47			x		Medium	Sun	6-7 in.	Spring	See Below	See Below Table	Borders, Cutting
Hardy Lilies	76, 77		x			Low-tall	Sun	18 in.	Sp. or Fl.	Winter hardy	Last for many years	Borders
Hyacinths	60, 61	x				Low	Sun	6 in.	Fall	Winter hardy	Last for several years	Beds, Borders
Lily of Valley	48, 49		x			Low	Part Shade	5 in.	Spring	Winter hardy	Last for many years	Ground cover
Muscari	60, 61	x				Low	Part Shade	2-3 in.	Fall	Winter hardy	Last for many years	Under shrubs, etc.
Scilla	60, 61		x			Low	Part Shade	2-3 in.	Fall	Winter hardy	Last for many years	Borders
Tuberose	48, 49			x		Medium	Sun	10 in.	Spring	Before frost	Dry with soil on roots	Borders
Tulip	60, 61		x			Medium	Sun	6 in.	Fall	Winter hardy	Last for several years	Beds, Borders

About Bulb Storage. Bulbs indicated as being "Winter Hardy" will endure the cold in all zones. Bulbs that must be lifted before frost, or just after frost should be stored at temperatures between 40° and 50°. Protect bulb containers from mice with a covering of wire screen. Tulips, though termed winter hardy, may be dug after foliage has withered. Bulbs should then be stored in a dry place, and planted again in fall.

Bulbs marked (*) may be left in the ground in mild climates. Store Canna bulbs in dry sand with tops down, or soil remaining on clumps. Dig Dahlia tubers after frost, leaving few inches of stem; store in sand, sawdust, peat moss, or newspaper clippings and sprinkle occasionally to keep moist. Dig Gladiolus bulbs after foliage turns yellow. Bulbs should be dry, clean, separated in bags or trays, and sprinkled with naphthalene flakes.

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Most Wards Perennials Will Bloom this Year. Wards sturdy, well rooted, field grown plants will bloom this year if planted in spring. Peonies and Iris will bloom the second year. Perennial plants live through the winter and come up year after year, larger and more beautiful. Wards perennials have been carefully nurtured to produce a rugged plant that's ready to grow and bloom in your garden.

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Perennial Plants (Common Name) Bloom Every Year	Page Listed	Bloom Period				Height to which It Grows	Soil and Location Preferred	Exposure Preferred	Plant Dist.	Uses
		Spring	Early Summer	Late Summer	Fall					
Achillea	83		x	x	x	Medium	Moist, well drained	Full sun	10 in.	Bed, border, cutting, to face shrubs
Ageratum	83			x	x	Medium	Average	Sun or part Sh.	8 in.	Rock Gardens, edgings, Borders
Alysum, Saxatile	78	x				Low	Average	Full sun	12 in.	Border, Edging, Rock garden
Asters, Hardy	86, 87			x	x	Med.-Tall	Moist, well drained	Full sun	2 ft.	Mass, borders, cutting, edging
Astilbe	82		x			Tall	Average moist	Sun/shade	2 ft.	Borders, background
Baby's Breath	82		x	x	x	Medium	Well drained	Full sun	2-3 ft.	Bouquet filler, dry for winter
Balloon Flower	74, 75		x	x	x	Med. Low	Sandy loam	Sun or part shade	12 in.	Borders, cutting
Bleed. Heart, O.F.	78	x				Medium	Rich, light	Sun or shade	2 ft.	Rock Gardens, borders
Bleed. Heart, Fern.	78	x	x	x	x	Low	Rich, light	Sun or shade	12 in.	Rock Gardens, borders
Butterfly Flower	83			x		Medium	Dry Sandy	Full sun	12 in.	Borders, beds
Canterbury Bells	82		x			Medium	Rich, well drained	Full sun	18 in.	Borders
Carnation, Hardy	80, 81		x	x	x	Med. Low	Rich, well drained	Full sun	12 in.	Border, cutting, fragrance
Chinese Lantern	83			x		Medium	Average	Sun or part Sh.	3 ft.	Dry in winter bouquets
Chrysanthemum	86, 87			x	x	Various	Well drained	Full sun	2-3 ft.	Border, bedding, cutting, exhibition
Columbine	78	x				Medium	Sheltered, rich	Part shade	10 in.	Borders, cutting
Daisy, Shasta	82		x	x		Med. Low	Average	Full sun	12 in.	Thrives on cutting, white border accent
Daylilies	74, 75		x	x		Tall	Almost any	Sun or part Sh.	12 in.	Borders, to face shrubs
Delphinium	74, 75		x		x	Tall	Well drained	Full sun	1-3 ft.	Border, cutting, backgrounds
Dianthus	80, 81		x	x	x	Low	Well drained	Full sun	10 in.	Spicy scent, cutting, borders
Doronicum	82	x		x	x	Medium	Rich loam	Sun or part Sh.	6-8 in.	Borders, cutting
Forget-Me-Not	80, 81	x		x	x	Low	Average moist	Part shade	8 in.	Rock garden border, filler
Gaillardia	83		x	x	x	Medium	Rich, light	Full sun	18 in.	Thrives on cutting, border
Hibiscus	83			x	x	Tall	Rich, moist	Sun or part Sh.	3-4 ft.	Use like shrubbery
Hollyhock	82		x			Tall	Rich, well drained	Sun	1-2 ft.	Tall borders, screens as tall background
Iris, Tall Bearded	79	x				Tall	Rich, well drained	Sun or part Sh.	2 ft.	Masses, borders
Iris, Kaempferi	79	x	x			Med. Tall	Avoid lime	Sun or part Sh.	18 in.	Masses, borders
Iris, Dwarf	78	x				Low	Rich, well drained	Full sun	12 in.	Edging, border, rockery
Iris, Siberian	79	x				Medium	Rich, moist	Sun or part Sh.	3 ft.	Borders
Iris, Vesper	79		x	x	x	Medium	Almost any	Sun or part Sh.	10 in.	Attract humming birds, borders
Lythrum	74, 75		x	x	x	Tall	Almost any	Sun or shade	2 ft.	Border backgrounds, cutting
Painted Daisy	82	x				Medium	Well drained	Some sun	12 in.	Border, excellent for cutting
Penstemon	83		x	x		Tall	Moist, drained	Sun or part Sh.	12 in.	Border background, cutting
Peony	88	x				Med. Tall	Rich moist loam	Sun or part Sh.	2-3 ft.	Border, hedge, cutting
Phlox, Hardy	74, 75		x	x		Med. Tall	Rich, well drained	Full sun	15 in.	Mass planting, cutting, border
Phlox, Creeping	78	x				Low	Rich, well drained	Full sun	12 in.	Edging, ground cover
Pinks, Clove	80, 81		x	x	x	Low	Good, well drained	Full sun	8 in.	Cutting, Rockery border
Poppies, Oriental	78	x	x			Med. Tall	Rich, well drained	Full sun	15 in.	Borders with Iris and Peonies
Stokesia	80-81			x	x	Low	Well drained	Full sun	12 in.	Border, cutting
Sweet Pea, Hardy	83		x	x	x	Tall	Deep, rich	Full sun	3 ft.	Climbs fence or trellis
Sweet William	80-81	x				Med. Low	Any well drained	Full sun	12 in.	Low border, cutting
Torchlilies (Tritoma)	74		x			Tall	Well drained	Full sun	12 in.	Front of shrubs, cutting, border
Trollius	80-81	x		x		Med. Tall	Good moist	Sun or part Sh.	12 in.	Borders, cutting
Veronica	83		x	x	x	Medium	Average moist	Sun or shade	12 in.	Border, cutting
Verbascum	74, 75	x		x	x	Tall	Average moist	Full sun	8 in.	Border, background
Vinca minor	50	x		x	x	Low	Average	Sun or shade	12 in.	Ground cover under tree
Violet	80, 81	x				Low	Moist loam	Part shade	12 in.	Ground cover, cutting
Yucca, Mountain Lily	82		x			Tall	Thin, well drained	Full sun	2-3 ft.	Tall, needs space

All Wards Nursery Stock is Shipped Postpaid

Most plants are shipped at planting time in spring or after they have become completely dormant in fall. All of the nursery stock you order will not necessarily be shipped at one time, as different types of plants may come from separate Nurseries, and will definitely come at the time intended for planting. For instance, orders for most bulbs are shipped immediately, however bulbs on Pages 60 and 61 are for fall planting only. These bulbs are dug in fall, and shipped to you after October 1st. Do not be alarmed if your order is not received immediately... our Nurseries keep a careful check on weather conditions, and all plants are shipped when they can be set out safely.

ORDER EARLY—BE SURE OF GETTING ALL VARIETIES YOU WANT.

For spring shipments it is best to order early while stocks are still complete. If your order is received too late for spring planting you will be notified, and it will be held for shipment in the fall unless you specify otherwise. Orders received too late for planting in the fall will be held until the following spring. This, of course, will apply only to plants, trees and bulbs that may be planted in the following season. When comparing Wards prices with

others, remember that we prepay all Nursery Stock. The Catalog price is all you pay, and knowing this makes it easier to budget your nursery stock purchases. Postage on a ten pound package ranges from 59c in zone 1 or 2 up to \$1.95 in zone 8, and you can readily see that the postage on only a few shrubs or trees would add considerably to other quoted prices.

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State the name of your nearest Express station. Some plants are packed separately and shipped at different times. Wards mail a separate guarantee slip covering each package. Nursery Stock can be shipped only during dormant or "sleeping" period, thus it is normal that these plants have no leaves.

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No Nursery Stock is shipped to Canada, Mexico or any point outside the continental United States. Orders are, however accepted from Alaska. Be sure to read Wards Nursery Stock Guarantee on Page 4.

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Order Nursery Stock on Terms, See Page 50.

Enjoy Colorful Displays of Mums Every Fall

PLANT IN BORDER OR FOUNDATION PLANTING, AGAINST HEDGE OR EVERGREENS

FACTS ABOUT CHRYSANTHEMUMS: For most dramatic effect plant chrysanthemums in masses so that their brilliant colors are contrasted in the border. You'll find them easy to grow in any sunny location with average soil, good drainage, and protection from wind. For more compact growth and most abundant bloom pinch the plants back about one third when they are 8 inches tall, and again when they are

about 12 inches tall. Apply a complete commercial fertilizer in late August and water in well. To bring out earlier bloom soak soil twice a week in hot months and when budding begins. Protect in winter in zones 7 through 9. Potted plants are shipped when dormant supply of field grown plants is exhausted. Plant in spring or fall, but must be planted this spring to have flowers this fall. (See zone Map Page 6).

Large Flowering English Mums

Garden of 5 for \$345 — Saves 55c

These large flowering, hardy English chrysanthemums are very similar to the big greenhouse mums, and are noted for their clear, bright color and exceptional size. Flowers are 4 to 6 inches across and even bigger if you disbud them. Excellent for cutting. Free blooming, but bloom later than other chrysanthemums on this page, and are best suited to areas that have mild weather late in fall. Hardy in all zones but require protection in zones 7 through 9.

91 GB 2127—**English Mum Garden.** Saves 55c. Postpaid..... 1 each of 5 below \$3.45

- (A) 91 GB 2121—**Crimson Champion.** Rich deep glowing crimson. Medium-low.
- (B) 91 GB 2125—**Trixie.** Long spiky petals of salmon, apricot and pink. Medium-low.
- (C) 91 GB 2128—**George McLeode.** Large, incurved golden yellow blooms. Largest, brightest color of all yellow Mums.
- (D) 91 GB 2123—**Mrs. J. Phillips.** Deep purple incurved variety. Tall, stiff stems.
- (E) 91 GB 2120—**Dauntless.** Perfectly shaped blooms of lively burnt orange. Tall.

Prices of Above English Mums—Postpaid. State Cat. No. Ea. 80c..... Any 3 for \$2.25

Picture Garden—7 Plants for \$415

Plant these early flowering varieties together for delightful contrasts in brilliant fall color. They'll continue to bloom up to and even through the first frosty nights. Excellent for cutting. Garden includes these favorites: 2 Lemon Drop Button Pompons (See CC); 2 Red Million-Mums (See X); 1 Candlelight, white (See N); 1 Chippewa, red-purple (See M); and 1 Autumn Beauty, reddish chestnut (See P). Hardy all zones. Shipped Postpaid.

91 GB 2178—Saves 12%..... 7 plants \$4.15

Wards Hardy Million-Mums*

Garden of 4 for \$225 — Saves 40c

(U) to (Y) These chrysanthemums are top favorites because of their wonderful ability to produce hundreds of blooms on one mature plant. They make a low-growing, compact, rounded mound, covered with flowers from late summer through fall. Excellent for cutting. Hardy in all zones, but we recommend winter protection in zones 7 through 9. *Trademark.

91 GB 2116—**Million-Mum Garden.** Saves 40c. Includes one each of four fine varieties listed below. Shipped Postpaid..... All 4 for \$2.25

- (U) 91 GB 2113—**Pink.** Deep orchid pink blooms.
- (V) 91 GB 2115—**Yellow.** Golden yellow mums.
- (W) 91 GB 2112—**Bronze.** Warm red-gold flowers.
- (X) 91 GB 2114—**Red.** Fiery, bright red color.

Prices of Above Million Mums—Postpaid. State Catalog Number. Each 70c..... Any 3 for \$1.95

(Y) **Indian Maid Million Mum.** A 1957 introduction. A deep crimson so outstanding that it's sure to become one of Wards most popular Million Mums. 91 GB 2119—Postpaid. Each 70c..... 3 for \$1.95

(Z) **Powderpuff.** A delightful 10-inch high plant crowded with ivory-white puffs of bloom from late summer until frost. Postpaid.

91GB2118—Ea. 70c; 3 for \$1.95

Newer Introductions of Hardy Mums

Garden of 5 for \$325

If you want the finest of the newer varieties of chrysanthemums, you'll find this group contains the best mums in their color classes. They are just as hardy as those described at the right, and all flower from one to two weeks earlier than those described as "Mid-season" in the group at the right. As a group they are a uniform medium height and make a beautiful display together. Hardy in all zones. Plant 2 feet apart.

91 GB 2166—**Garden of Newer Mums.** Saves 25c. Includes 1 each of 5 varieties below. Shipped Postpaid..... All 5 for \$3.25

(F) 91 GB 2164—**Adorable.** 1956 introduction. Large, bright rose-pink blooms with salmon on reverse side of petals. A Chrysanthemum authority has declared it to be the truest pink mum in existence. Very dependable. Postpaid. Each 70c..... 3 for \$1.95

(G) 91 GB 2161—**White Cloud.** Developed by the Univ. of Neb. Large, feathery, pure white flowers on strong stems. Considered to be the most satisfactory white garden mum. Postpaid. Each 70c..... 3 for \$1.95

(H) 91 GB 2162—**Apache.** An extra hardy, frost resistant Kraus introduction. Brilliant red color has a golden overcast. Quilled petals form flowers 4 to 5 inches across. Begins to bloom early. Resistance to weather enables it to keep on blooming into November. Postpaid. Each 70c..... 3 for \$1.95

(J) 91 GB 2163—**Ruthann Lehman.** A Kraus introduction and therefore extra hardy and frost resistant. Extra large canary yellow blooms on long stems. Excellent for cutting. Postpaid. Each 70c..... 3 for \$1.95

(K) 91 GB 2165—**Purple Waters.** This was introduced in 1956 and is considered to be the best early deep purple Chrysanthemum. Completely double 3 inch blooms cover the plant. Postpaid. Each 70c..... 3 for \$1.95

Extra Hardy Pompon Mums

Garden of 4 for \$225

A colorful burst of bloom in early fall, and through the first few nights of frost. Beautiful for mass displays or flower arrangements. Extra hardy in all zones. Best for areas with early frosts.

91 GB 2157—**Pompon Mum Garden.** Postpaid. 1 each of 4 varieties below..... 4 for \$2.25

(AA) 91 GB 2152 — **Early Crimson.** An early bright crimson mum. Medium height.

(BB) 91 GB 2154 — **September Cloud.** White with primrose tint. Medium-low. Midseason.

(CC) 91 GB 2151 — **Lemon Drop.** Very early, low growing button pompon. Nice foliage.

(DD) 91 GB 2158 — **Jewelstone.** Bright rose-pink pompon. Medium height. Blooms freely in midseason.

Prices of Above Pompon Mums. State Cat. No. Shipped Postpaid. Each 70c..... Any 3 for \$1.95

Extra Hardy Early Chrysanthemums

Garden of 6 for \$350 — Saves 40c

You'll enjoy these colorful blooms from early autumn right through the first frosty nights. Included are four Dr. Kraus introductions. These have been proven to be highly frost resistant, and have a higher degree of winter plant hardiness. You can cut beautiful flowers long after other garden flowers have gone—even after several nights of freezing weather. Hardy all zones.

91 GB 2137—**Extra Hardy Early Mum Garden.** Saves 40c. Postpaid. Includes 1 each of 6 varieties below..... All 6 for \$3.50

(L) 91 GB 2148—**Patricia Lehman.** (Kraus intro.) Truly one of the most beautiful chrysanthemums in the garden or for cutting. Sparkling geranium pink with peach center. Recurved twisted petals give a feathery effect. Medium height. Midseason.

(M) 91 GB 2106—**Chippewa.** Large, rich, red-purple blooms. Slightly incurved petals are silvery-lilac on reverse side. Developed by Univ. of Minn. Blooms very early on plants of medium height.

(N) 91 GB 2146—**Candlelight.** (Kraus intro.) Graceful, well formed flowers of creamy white with yellow center. Bloom freely in midseason on medium low growing plants.

(P) 91 GB 2139—**Autumn Beauty.** Considered to be the best early bronze mum. Colorful reddish chestnut blooms on low plant.

(R) 91 GB 2147—**Remembrance.** (Kraus intro.) One of the best red mums. Blooms retain their deep ruby-carmine color throughout blooming time. Medium height. Midseason.

(T) 91 GB 2142—**Lee Powell.** (Kraus intro.) Outstanding because of its masses of fluffy Chinese-yellow blooms—each about 4 inches across. Tall. Midseason.

Prices of Above Hardy Mums—Postpaid. State Cat. No. Each 70c..... Any 3 for \$1.95

Hardy English Asters

Any 3 for \$195

(A. nove-angliae). Michaelmas Daisies. Excellent for cutting. Medium-tall; bushy, well-branched plants covered with semi-double blooms. Easy to grow in full sun in any well drained soil. Very hardy in all zones. Plant in spring or fall.

- (1) 91 GB 2185—**Archbishop.** Rich blue-purple.
- (2) 91 GB 2186—**Janet McMullen.** Soft rose pink, and probably the largest flower of all asters.
- (3) 91 GB 2187—**Winston Churchill.** The reddest of the hardy asters. Rich ruby-crimson flowers.

Prices of Above Hardy English Asters Shipped Postpaid. Each 75c; Any 3 plants for \$1.95

Dwarf Hardy Aster—Any 3 for \$180

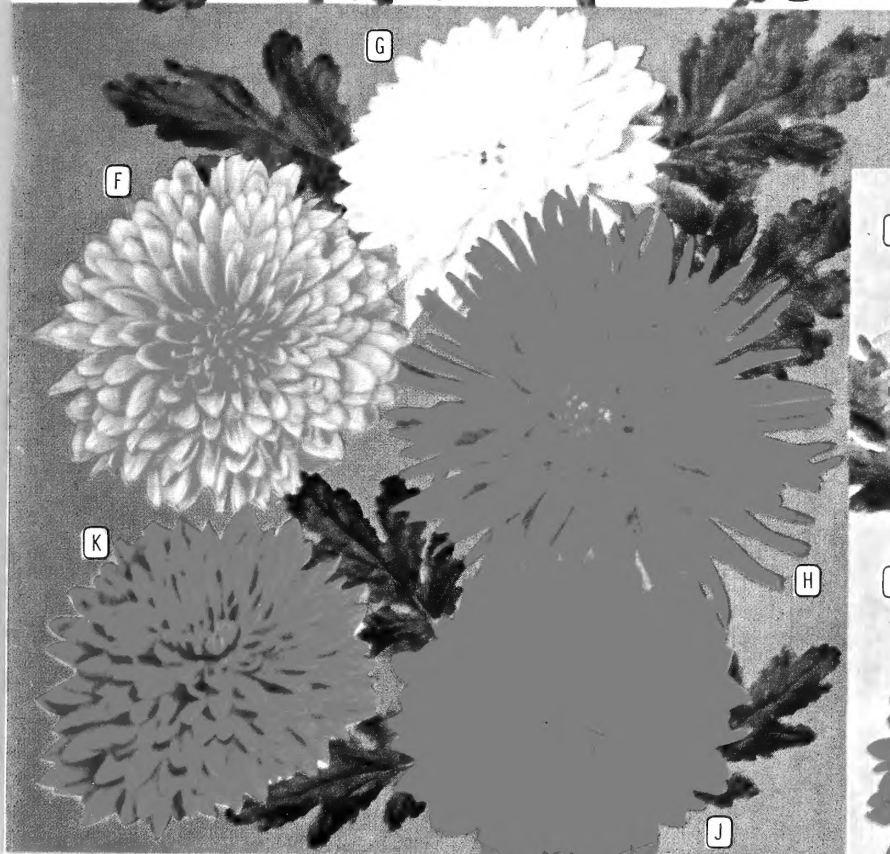
(A. nove-angliae). Gay little mounds covered with star-like asters. Wide spreading. Bloom for a month or more in early fall. Plant like above asters.

- (4) 91 GB 2184—**Victor.** 9 in. tall. Lavender-blue.
- (5) 91 GB 2183—**Snowsprite.** Pure white, compact cushions of bloom on plants about 1 ft. tall.
- (6) 91 GB 2182—**Little Red Boy.** Globe shaped plants 18 in. tall. Brilliant deep rose color.

Prices of Above Dwarf Asters. Shipped Postpaid. Each 65c..... Any 3 for \$1.80



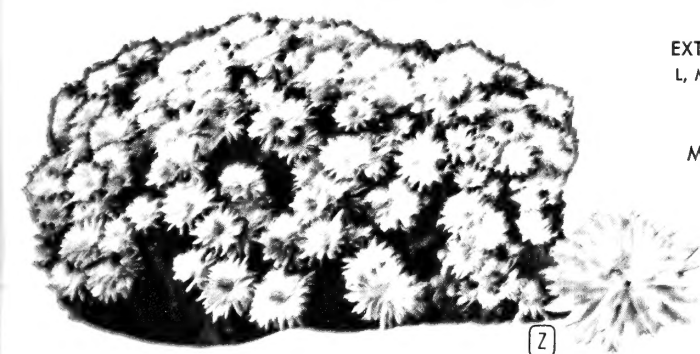
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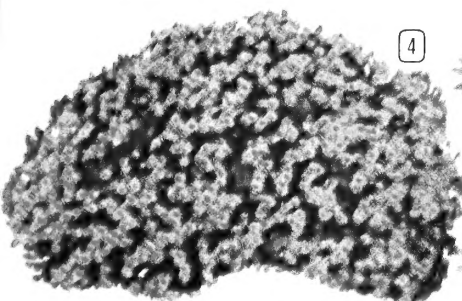
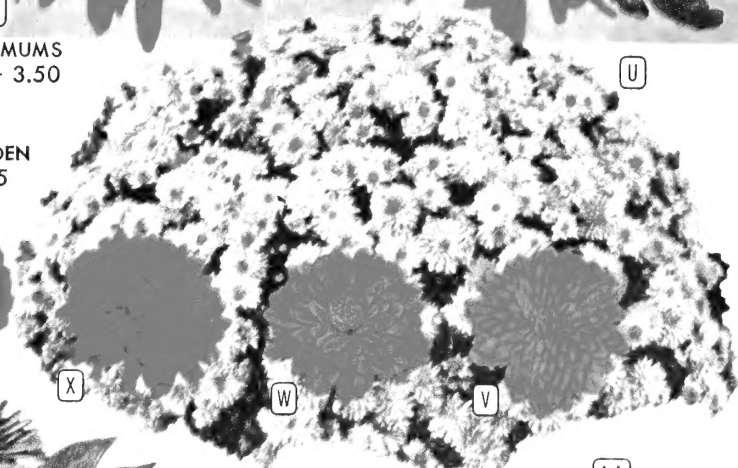
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F, G, H, J and K—5 for 3.25



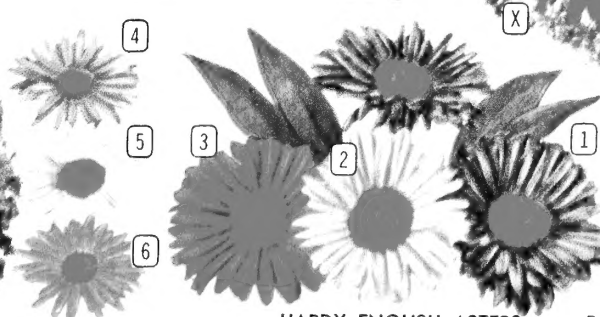
EXTRA HARDY EARLY MUMS
L, M, N, P, R and T—6 for 3.50



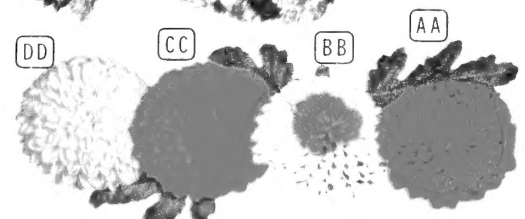
MILLION-MUM GARDEN
U, V, W and X—2.25



DWARF HARDY ASTERS
3 for 1.80



HARDY ENGLISH ASTERS
3 for 1.95



POMPON MUM GARDEN
These 4 for 2.25

A PEONY GARDEN

B, C, D and E—All 4 for 5.35

Choose Wards Peonies *and be Sure of*

☆ Choice varieties that are
consistent Award Winners

☆ Huge Blooms, Outstanding vigor

All Carefully Selected from the Top of their Color Classes. Chosen to give you highest quality bloom without the extra cost for newness. Well established, consistent Award Winners at shows and fairs.

Will Bloom the Second Year. All Wards Peonies are healthy, field grown 3 to 5 eye roots. All backed by Wards Guarantee on Page 4.

Dozens of Uses. Plant Peonies as a low hedge, to line a driveway, in the perennial border, in front of shrubs, or to edge a terrace. Will give you dramatic bouquets in early summer. Foliage is beautiful all season. Combine beautifully with Oriental Poppies and Tall Bearded Iris.

Easy to Grow—Hardy to 40° below zero. Comparatively disease resistant, grow more beautiful every year, last for many years. Plant 2-3 ft. apart in spring or fall, in full sun or part shade. Do not plant near trees or tall shrubs. Hardy all zones but are more beautiful north of zone 2.

Choice Peonies—\$1.50 Each

A Choice Peony Garden. Each is considered in the top of its color class for its cutting qualities. Bloom freely in midseason. 91 GB 3345—Includes 1 each of B, C, D and E. *Postpaid.* All 4 for **\$5.35**

B Kelway's Glorious. One of most popular white peonies. Creamy depth, occasionally crimson on center petals. Rose-like scent. 91 GB 3318—*Postpaid.* Each **\$1.50**

D Therese. Satiny pink changing to lilac-white in center. Large rose-type, later developing high crown. Erect grower. 91 GB 3319—*Postpaid.* Each **\$1.50**

C Longfellow. Brilliant, fadeless, rich crimson blooms on strong stems. Golden stamens. Excellent for cutting. Medium height. 91 GB 3343—*Postpaid.* Each **\$1.50**

E Walter Faxon. Most vivid of all pink peonies. Perfect form—semi-rose type. Delightfully fragrant. Good stems, foliage. 91 GB 3339—*Postpaid.* Each **\$1.50**

Peony Picture Garden

7 for **\$7.75** Saves \$1.10

Philippe Rivoire

Finest Red Peony **\$1.50**

F Garden of 7 Double Peonies. Includes 1 each of 4 Choice and 3 Favorite Peonies. (B, C, D, E, K, L and M.) Would cost \$8.85 if bought individually. A splash of color for early summer. 91 GB 3349—*Postpaid.* 7 for **\$7.75**

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